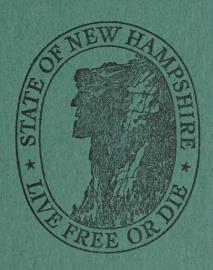
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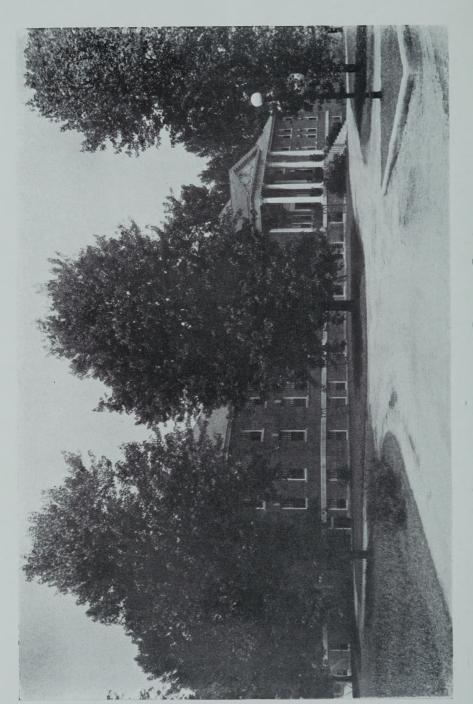


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## Annual Report of The Commissioners

OF THE

# County of Grafton

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Treasurer, Auditors, Superintendent, Jailer
Clerk of Court, Solicitor, Sheriff,
Chaplain, Physician and
Extension Service

For The Year Ended December 31, 1957

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## **Grafton County Officers**

Commissioners

Kenneth G. Bell Plymouth
George F. Clement Landaff
Robert A. Jones Lebanon

Treasurer

Lawrence M. Colby Littleton

Sheriff

Herbert W. Ash Campton

Jailer

Erville H. Aldrich North Haverhill

Clerk of Court

Unwar J. Samaha Woodsville

Judge of Probate

Henry A. Dodge Littleton

Register of Probate

Anna D. Proctor Woodsville

Register of Deeds

Fred J. Shores Woodsville
County Almshouse and House of Correction

Erville H. Aldrich North Haverhill

Chaplain

Burton G. Robbins North Haverhill

Physicians

E. C. Campbell, M.D., Medical Director Woodsville
L. E. McKinlay, M.D., Asso. Physician
C. D. Eastman, M.D., Asso. Physician Woodsville

Auditors

Horace B. Knight Woodsville George H. Richardson Littleton

## Grafton County Delegation — 1957

Ashland Thomas Pryor

Bethlehem Malcolm J. Stevenson

Bridgewater Gertrude M. Bucklin

Bristol Bowdoin Plumer

Campton Philip S. Willey

Canaan Joseph L. Graham Enfield Isaac H. Sanborn

Franconia Nina E. Peabody

Grafton Elsie F. Williams

Groton Lauie A. Nettleton

Hanover David J. Bradley, Florimond DuS. Duke,

Elizabeth W. Hayward,

Robert S. Monahan

Haverhill Wilfred J. Larty, Norman A. McMeekin

Hebron Oscar V. Morse

Holderness Stanley A. Chamberlain

Lebanon Arthur F. Adams, Forrest B. Cole,

Fred A. Jones, J. Daniel Porter,

Harry S. Townsend, Gladys L. Whipple

Lincoln George M. McGee

Lisbon Rita Collyer

Littleton Charles F. Armstrong, Fred Kelley,

Eda C. Martin

Lyme Harold W. Haskins

Plymouth Kenneth G. Bell, Suzanne Loizeaux

Rumney Jesse A. Barney
Warren Fayne E. Anderson
Woodstock Thomas F. Sawyer

# **Delegates to the County Convention**

Alexandria	Ray O. Sargent					
Bath	Edwin P. Chamberlin					
Easton	Walter M. Wolff					
Ellsworth	Chester Avery					
Landaff	Arthur E. Snell					
Lyman	Ralph H. Varney					
Monroe	Lyle M. Frazer					
Orford	Robert W. Carr					
Piermont	Earl V. Howard					
Thornton	Ida M. Horner					
Waterville	Sarah J. Woodward					
Wentworth	Lottie M. McLaughlin					

## **Grafton County Delegation**

Concord, N. H. January 9, 1957

The Grafton County Delegation met in Room 306, State House at 2 P. M. for organization.

Thirty-one representatives and seven delegates were present as follows: Stevenson of Bethlehem; Bucklin of Bridgewater; Plumer of Bristol; Graham of Canaan; Sanborn of Enfield; Peabody of Franconia; Williams of Grafton; Nettleton of Groton; Bradley, Duke, Hayward and Monahan of Hanover; Haskins of Lyme; Barney of Rumney; Anderson of Warren; Larty of Haverhill; Mc-Meekin of Haverhill; Morse of Hebron; Adams, Cole, Jones, Townsend and Whipple of Lebanon; McGee of Lincoln; Collyer of Lisbon; Armstrong, Kelley and Martin of Littleton; Bell and Loizeaux of Plymouth, and Sawyer of Woodstock: Delegates, Chamberlin of Bath; Avery of Ellsworth; Snell of Landaff; Frazer of Monroe; Howard of Piermont; Woodward of Waterville, and McLaughlin of Wentworth.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Hayward of Hanover, Vice-Chairman.

The chair called for nominations for Chairman. Mc-Meekin of Haverhill placed in nomination Forrest Cole of Lebanon as Chairman. Seconded by Graham of Canaan, Sanborn of Enfield, and Kelley of Littleton. As there were no further nominations, Larty of Haverhill moved the nominations be closed and that the Clerk be instructed to cast one ballot for Mr. Cole of Lebanon. Motion seconded by Mr. Graham of Canaan, and Mr. Cole was declared elected Chairman of the Grafton County Delegation.

The name of Elizabeth Hayward of Hanover as Vice-Chairman was placed in nomination by Miss Loizeaux of Plymouth and seconded by Mr. Plumer of Bristol and Mr. Kelley of Littleton. Mr. Plumer moved that nominations be closed and that the Clerk cast one ballot for Mrs. Hayward for Vice-Chairman and Mrs. Hayward was declared elected Vice-Chairman.

Mr. Townsend of Lebanon placed in nomination the name of Mrs. Eda Martin of Littleton for Clerk and the nomination was seconded by Mr. Adams of Lebanon. Mr. Kelley of Littleton moved that the nominations be closed and one vote cast for Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Martin was declared Clerk of the Delegation.

Chairman Cole asked the delegation to vote on the number of members to be on the Executive Committee. McMeekin of Haverhill moved that the Executive Committee should consist of three members with the Chairman and Clerk serving ex-officio. Seconded by Loizeaux of Plymouth and voted unanimously, and the Chair called for nominations.

McMeekin of Haverhill nominated Horner of Thornton and seconded by Adams of Lebanon and Bucklin of Bridgewater; Adams of Lebanon nominated Larty of Haverhill, seconded by Haskins of Lyme; Collyer of Lisbon nominated McGee of Lincoln, seconded by Monahan of Hanover

On motion of Stevenson of Bethlehem the nominations were declared closed and the clerk instructed to cast one ballot for the above named member to serve on the Executive Committee.

On motion of Mr. McMeekin of Haverhill it was voted that the Chairman appoint a committee of three to investigate the retirement status of Grafton County Employees. Seconded by Armstrong of Littleton and voted unanimously. The Chairman announced as members of this committee: McMeekin of Haverhill, Bell of Plymouth and Plumer of Bristol.

Delegate Woodward asked about the tie delegate vote and Mr. Plumer said he thought that would be taken care of before the next meeting.

Chairman Cole spoke briefly thanking the members of the Delegation and about the setting up of the budget.

Meeting adjourned at 3:10 P. M.

Respectfully submitted, A true record: Attest

EDA C. MARTIN,

Clerk

Woodsville, N. H. March 4, 1957

Members of the Grafton County Convention met at the Grafton County Farm March 4, 1957 for a public meeting to consider the budget. A bountiful dinner was served by the Superintendent and Matron, Mr. and Mrs. Erville Aldrich.

The County commissioners escorted the members on an inspection tour of the institution and property.

The following members were present: Pryor of Ashland, Stevenson of Bethlehem, Bucklin of Bridgewater, Plumer of Bristol, Willey of Campton, Graham of Canaan, Sanborn of Enfield, Peabody of Franconia, Williams of Grafton, Nettleton of Groton, Duke of Hanover, Hayward of Hanover, Larty of Woodsville, McMeekin of Woodsville, Morse of Hebron. Chamberlain of Holderness, Adams of Lebanon, Cole of Lebanon, Jones of Lebanon, Townsend of Lebanon, McGee of Lincoln, Kelley of Littleton, Martin of Littleton, Haskins of Lyme, Bell of Plymouth and Porter of Lebanon.

Delegates: Sargent of Alexandria; Chamberlin of Bath; Wolff of Easton; Avery of Ellsworth; Snell of Landaff; Howard of Piermont; McLaughlin of Wentworth.

County Commissioners Jones and Clement, County Agent Rutherford, and Sheriff Ash were present.

County Commissioner Bell explained each item in the budget and told of why there were increases in some items. The budget, estimated to be \$362,260.00 for each of the years 1957 and 1958, is an increase of \$14,655.42, of this amount \$9,000.00 is for board and care of children, \$3,000.00 for welfare administration, \$2,200.00 for painting at the County Farm.

Willey of Campton suggested that the Executive committee look over the Plymouth Court House and report the repairs needed. Bell spoke of repairing the roof at Plymouth and to paint the court room. Repairs to Plymouth Court House the last few years has included the addition which cost around \$10,000.00, Probation room upstairs, the Police department moved down to the basement, front of the building painted. Cells were removed from the room upstairs, new men's toilet installed. The Judge's office was done over. Some people have said the Plymouth heating plant is over-loaded - the janitor says it works O.K.

Stevenson of Bethlehem suggested that per diem be paid to all members listed by the clerk as present at the Convention meetings. Plumer of Bristol suggested it be put in the budget as a separate item - not to be in the miscellaneous account as at present.

Barry Mines of Holderness, Executive Director of the New Hampshire Tax Payer Federation, was present and spoke briefly regarding the revenue received from the farm as having been set up as \$75,000.00 when the exact revenue for 1956 was \$86,510.69. He believed it should be budgeted at \$86,000.00.

Sheriff Ash spoke briefly of his department.

County Agent Rutherford spoke of his department and said his increases are due mostly to mileage, telephone, and his increase in wages for the Secretary.

No further discussion. It was moved and voted to adjourn at 3:10 P. M.

A true record: Attest

EDA C. MARTIN,

Clerk

Concord, N. H.

April 10, 1957

The Grafton County Delegation met in Room 317, State House, at 3 P. M. The following representatives were present: Pryor of Ashland, Bucklin of Bridgewater, Plumer of Bristol, Willey of Campton, Graham of Canaan, Sanborn of Enfield, Williams of Grafton, Nettleton of Groton, Duke and Hayward of Hanover, Larty and McMeekin of Haverhill, Haskins of Lyme, Morse of Hebron, Chamberlain of Holderness; Adams, Cole, Jones, Porter, Townsend, Whipple of Lebanon; McGee of Lincoln; Armstrong, Kelley, Martin of Littleton; Bell and Loizeaux of Plymouth. The following delegates were present: Sargent of Alexandria, Avery of Ellsworth, Woodward of Waterville, Wolff of Easton, Horner of Thornton, McLaughlin of Wentworth.

The budget was examined, discussed at length, and the following changes were made. The first sixteen items are set by statutes, so no changes could be made at this time.

The item of Sheriff and Deputies had to be increased due to a bill passed by the legislature increasing the Sheriff's pay \$5.00 per day. Sheriff Ash was present and stated this increase would amount to \$2,500.00. Pryor of Ashland moved, seconded by Willey, that an additional

sum of \$2,500.00 be raised for 1957, and the sum of \$2,500.00 be raised for 1958 for the Sheriff, providing the raise of \$5.00 per day for Sheriffs becomes a law. The vote was 22 yes and 5 no.

Kelley of Littleton moved, seconded by Armstrong of Littleton and Plumer of Bristol, that the Welfare budget (poor off farm, old age assistance, aid to disabled, board and care of children, soldiers' aid, and welfare administration) be approved. Thirty members voted yes and none were opposed.

New construction and equipment of Court House was changed as follows: Willey moved, seconded by Townsend, that the sum of \$7,500.00 be raised and appropriated for the following repairs to the Plymouth Court House:

To make repairs to roof of Plymouth Court House as needed.

To install a new boiler and make what changes are found needed in other parts of the heating system. (Probably zoning of same.)

To install a new ceiling and lights.

To install new chairs in Jury box.

If this amount is insufficient, that the Commission shall call on the Executive Committee who shall authorize them to either use funds not otherwise expended or borrow the money on notes of the County.

This motion of Willey's was amended by Kelley of Littleton, seconded by Hayward of Hanover, to read \$9,000.00 for Plymouth Court House and \$3,000.00 for Woodsville Court House for 1957 and \$2,000.00 for both Court Houses for 1958. This was voted in the affirmative with no one in opposition. The money appropriated for Woodsville is to be used to rewire the building and black top the drive and parking area in back of the Court House.

Kelley moved, Plumer seconded, that the County Extension, Employees' Retirement, Social Security and Miscellaneous be accepted. This was voted in the affirmative, none opposed. Plumer of Bristol moved, seconded by Jones of Lebanon, that the Surplus be reduced and the anticipated revenue be increased so that the net tax remain the same as last year. The budget was changed, and the estimated Revenue from the farm was increased to \$85,000.00 for each of the two years.

McMeekin of Haverhill reported for the Committee appointed at the last delegation meeting consisting of Bell of Plymouth and Plumer of Bristol. See attached report.

McMeekin of Haverhill moved, seconded by Kelley of Littleton, "I move that the County Convention rescind the action taken at its meeting of May 11, 1956, whereby it revoked its election to have its officers and employees participate in the State Retirement System." This was voted in the affirmative with none in opposition.

Willey of Campton spoke of the death of former Grafton County Treasurer Huckins, and suggested a resolution be brought into the House by County members consisting of Plumer of Bristol, Chairman Cole, and Clerk Martin. Chairman Cole asked Rep. Willey to have the Resolution made out for the committee's signatures.

Representative McGee of Lincoln suggested the Clerk of Court be present at these meetings to defend and answer questions on his items in the budget.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 5:30 P. M.

A true record: Attest EDA C. MARTIN,

Clerk

# **Budget of Grafton County**

6		
Sources of Revenue	Estimated	Estimated
	Revenue	Revenue
	Year	Ensuing
	1957	Year 1958
Current Revenue		
Income from Institutions		
(a) County Farm	\$85,000.00	\$85,000.00
(b) Court Houses	385.00	385.00
Reimbursements of Expendi-		
tures for support of poor, etc.	3,000.00	3,000.00
Miscellaneous	7.87	7.86
Receipts Other Than		
Current Revenue	10 127 12	10 107 14
Cash on hand (surplus)  Total Revenue from All	10,127.13	10,127.14
Sources Except Taxation	\$98,520.00	\$98,520.00
	ψ20,320.00	φ20,320.00
	E	st. Revenue
Purposes of Expenditures	Estimated	
Purposes of Expenditures		Ensuing
	Estimated	Ensuing
Purposes of Expenditures  Current Maintenance Expenses General Government	Estimated	Ensuing
Current Maintenance Expenses	Estimated	Ensuing
Current Maintenance Expenses General Government	Estimated Year 1957 \$5,400.00	Ensuing Year 1958 \$5,400.00
Current Maintenance Expenses General Government Salaries of (a) Commissioners (b) Treasurer	Estimated Year 1957 \$5,400.00 500.00	Ensuing Year 1958 \$5,400.00 500.00
Current Maintenance Expenses General Government Salaries of (a) Commissioners (b) Treasurer (c) Auditors	Estimated Year 1957  \$5,400.00     500.00     200.00	Ensuing Year 1958 \$5,400.00 500.00 200.00
Current Maintenance Expenses General Government Salaries of (a) Commissioners (b) Treasurer (c) Auditors (d) Solicitor	Estimated Year 1957  \$5,400.00 500.00 200.00 2,400.00	Ensuing Year 1958 \$5,400.00 500.00 200.00 2,400.00
Current Maintenance Expenses General Government Salaries of  (a) Commissioners  (b) Treasurer  (c) Auditors  (d) Solicitor  (ε) Medical Referee	Estimated Year 1957  \$5,400.00 500.00 200.00 2,400.00 1,500.00	Ensuing Year 1958 \$5,400.00 500.00 200.00 2,400.00 1,500.00
Current Maintenance Expenses General Government Salaries of (a) Commissioners (b) Treasurer (c) Auditors (d) Solicitor (e) Medical Referee (f) Sheriff	Estimated Year 1957  \$5,400.00 500.00 200.00 2,400.00	Ensuing Year 1958 \$5,400.00 500.00 200.00 2,400.00
Current Maintenance Expenses General Government Salaries of (a) Commissioners (b) Treasurer (c) Auditors (d) Solicitor (e) Medical Referee (f) Sheriff Expenses of	Estimated Year 1957  \$5,400.00 500.00 200.00 2,400.00 1,500.00	Ensuing Year 1958 \$5,400.00 500.00 200.00 2,400.00 1,500.00
Current Maintenance Expenses General Government Salaries of (a) Commissioners (b) Treasurer (c) Auditors (d) Solicitor (e) Medical Referee (f) Sheriff Expenses of (a) Commissioners and	Estimated Year 1957  \$5,400.00     500.00     200.00     2,400.00     1,500.00     1,800.00	Ensuing Year 1958 \$5,400.00 500.00 200.00 2,400.00 1,500.00 1,800.00
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# **Budget of Grafton County**

## Expenditures (Continued)

Care and Supplies for		
Court Houses	8,000.00	8,000.00
Superior Court		
Jury Payrolls	7,000.00	7,000.00
"State vs. — " Payrolls	500.00	500.00
Counsel Fees	1,000.00	1,000.00
Stenographer - Solicitor	6,500.00	6,500.00
Clerk of Superior Court	15,000.00	15,000.00
Sheriff and Deputies	12,500.00	12,500.00
Public Welfare	,	Í
County Farm	150,000.00	150,000.00
Support of poor off farm	20,000.00	20,000.00
Old Age Assist., (Cty only)		17,000.00
Board and care of children	45,000.00	45,000.00
Soldiers' Aid	14,000.00	14,000.00
Disabled	2,500.00	2,500.00
Welfare Administration	12,000.00	12,000.00
Interest		
On Temporary Loans	4,000.00	4,000.00
Outlay, New Construction and		
Equipment - Court Houses	12,000.00	2,000.00
All Other Payments		
County Extension Service	17,460.00	17,460.00
Social Security	4,000.00	4,000.00
Employees' Retirement	1,000.00	1,000.00
Miscellaneous	3,000.00	3,000.00
Total Expenditures	\$370,760.00	\$360,760.00
Less Revenue & Cash on Hand	98,520.00	98,520.00
Amount to be raised by		
County Tax	\$272,240.00	\$262,240.00

## Report of County Commissioners

To the Citizens of Grafton County:

In accordance with the Public Laws of the State of New Hampshire, the Commissioners of Grafton County herewith present the annual report of the Commissioners, Treasurer, Auditors, Superintendent of the County Farm, Jailer, Clerk of Court, Solicitor, Sheriff, Chaplain, Physician and County Extension Service.

On December 31, 1957, the County had a cash balance of \$25,528.89, and bills receivable of \$6,063.88, making total assets of \$31,892.77. This is due mainly to the increase of income from the County Farm. There were no liabilities and the County operated within its budget for the year.

The County Delegation voted an appropriation of \$12,000.00 for improvements to the Plymouth and Woodsville Court Houses. The slate roof at the Plymouth Court House was removed and replaced with asphalt shingles at a cost of \$2,420.72. Other improvements were a new acoustic ceiling in the court room, \$1,480.00, heating system overhauled, \$2,964.00, and electrical changes made, \$609.84.

At Woodsville, paving of the parking lot at the rear of the Court House was completed. New wiring was installed to relieve the overload and inside painting was done at both Court Houses. Total improvements amounted to \$11,256.83.

At the County Farm, the main barn, the trim on the County Home and the three houses were painted two coats. New wiring was installed in the barn.

During the year the Commissioners increased the rate of board of children to \$40.00 per month.

We wish to express our appreciation to our staff of employees, the County Delegation, the various county and town officials and the State Welfare Department for their cooperation with the Commissioners.

Respectfully submitted,

KENNETH G. BELL GEORGE F. CLEMENT ROBERT A. JONES

Commissioners

# DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING STATE TAX COMMISSION

Concord, New Hampshire

## SUMMARY OF FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

December 18, 1957

Board of County Commissioners Grafton County Woodsville, New Hampshire

#### Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 71, Section 27, of the Revised Statutes Annotated, the biennial examination and audit of the accounts of Grafton County has been made by this Division. The audit covered the fiscal years ended December 31, 1955 and December 31, 1956. Submitted herewith is the report of this audit including Exhibits as hereafter listed. The report consists of three sections as follows:

Section I Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1955 Section II Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1956 Section III Ten Year Statement of County Taxes Assessed, Net Debt and Bonded Debt

## Scope of Audit

Included in the audit and examination were the accounts and records of the Board of County Commissioners, County Treasurer, Clerk of the Superior Court and Superintendent of the County Farm.

#### Financial Statements

## Comparative Balance Sheets: (Exhibits A & J)

Comparative Balance Sheets for the fiscal years ended December 31, 1954 - 1955 and December 31, 1955 - 1956, are presented in Exhibits A and J, respectively. As indi-

cated therein, the Surplus decreased by \$13,698.94 in 1955, and increased by \$605.57 in 1956.

## Analysis of Change in Financial Condition:

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1955 (Exhibit B) Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1956 (Exhibit K)

Statements presenting an analysis of the factors which caused the change in financial condition of the County during the fiscal years ended December 31, 1955 and December 31, 1956, are included in Exhibits B and K, respectively.

The decrease in Surplus during the year 1955 amounted to \$13,698.94. The factors which caused this were as follows:

## Decrease in Surplus

Cash Surplus Used to Reduce 1955

County Tax

\$ 33,347.64

## Increase in Surplus

Net Budget Surplus

\$ 18,418.50

Increase in Accounts Receivable

1,230.20

## Net Decrease

\$ 13,698.94

19,648.70

In 1956 the Surplus increased by \$605.57. The contributing factors were as follows:

## Increase in Surplus

Net Budget Surplus

\$ 18,404.61

### Decrease in Surplus

Cash Surplus Used to Reduce

1956 County Tax

\$ 17,000.00

Decrease in Accounts Receivable

799.04

17,799.04

Net Increase

\$ 605.57

Comparative Statements of Appropriations and Expenditures — Estimated and Actual Revenues:

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1955 (Exhibits C & D) Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1956 (Exhibits L & M)

In the fiscal year ended December 31, 1955, a revenue surplus of \$2,343.71, plus a net unexpended balance of appropriations of \$16,074.79, resulted in a net budget surplus of \$18,418.50.

A revenue surplus of \$15,457.58, plus a net unexpended balance of appropriations of \$2,947.03, resulted in a net budget surplus of \$18,404.61 in the fiscal year ended December 31, 1956.

Summaries of Receipts and Expenditures:

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1955 (Exhibit E) Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1956 (Exhibit N)

Summary statements of the receipts and expenditures of the County, made up in accordance with the uniform classification of accounts, for the fiscal years ended December 31, 1955 and December 31, 1956, are presented in Exhibits E and N, respectively.

# ACCOUNTS OF COMMISSIONERS AND TREASURER

An examination was made of all orders issued by the Commissioners and Clerk of the Superior Court during the periods under review. Supporting invoices and payrolls were likewise examined and the classification of expenditures noted. Proof of the Treasurer's balance as of December 31, 1956, is indicated in Exhibit O.

## CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

The financial accounts and records of the Clerk of Court of Grafton County were examined. Court receipts were checked by source, insofar as possible, and found to be properly recorded. Court orders issued by the Clerk were supported by invoices, vouchers and payrolls bearing the approval of a Superior Court Justice.

#### COUNTY FARM

The accounts and records of the Superintendent of the County Farm were examined. Receipts of the Farm were checked by source through the triplicate receipt forms. All receipts, as recorded in the cash book, were properly accounted for by the Superintendent through deposits to the credit of the County Treasurer's account in the Woodsville National Bank.

Classified summaries of receipts and expenditures of the County Farm for the years 1955 and 1956 are presented in Exhibits G and P, respectively.

#### Conclusion:

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 184 of the Laws of 1955, a copy of this report or a summary of its findings and recommendations (letter of transmittal) should be published in the next annual report of the County. This letter of transmittal should be included in its entirety but the publication of Exhibits is optional.

The appreciation and thanks of this Division is hereby expressed to the officials of Grafton County and their office staffs for the assistance rendered during the course of the audit.

Yours very truly, Harold G. Fowler Director

DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING STATE TAX COMMISSION

Edgar O. Pesquera, Auditor O. Maurice Oleson, Accountant

# DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING STATE TAX COMMISSION

Concord, New Hampshire November 22, 1957

### Certificate of Audit

This is to certify that we have examined and audited the accounts and records of the Grafton County Commissioners, County Treasurer, Clerk of the Superior Court and Superintendent of the County Farm, for the fiscal years ended December 31, 1955 and December 31, 1956. In our opinion the Exhibits presented herewith reflect the true financial condition of the County and the results of operations for the periods under review.

Respectully submitted,

Harold G. Fowler

DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING STATE TAX COMMISSION

Edgar O. Pesquera, Auditor
O. Maurice Oleson, Accountant

(Exhibits and Schedules on file in County Commissioner's Office)

# Financial Report

## Balance Sheet

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1957

Assets		
Cash on Hand:		
Treasurer	\$25,528.89	
Supt. of County Farm	300.00	
		\$25,828.89
Accounts Due County:		
(a) Taxes due from towns	None	
(b) Accounts due farm	5,821.52	
(c) Miscellaneous accounts	242.36	
		6,063.88
Total Assets	•	\$31,892.77
Liabilities	None	
Total Liabilities		None
Surplus	-	\$31,892.77
Surplus—December 31, 1956	\$20,254.27	
Surplus—December 31, 1957	31,892.77	
Increase of Surplus	11,638.50	

# Financial Report

## SCHEDULE OF COUNTY PROPERTY

## Description:

Land and Buildings:

(a)	Court Houses	\$170,000.00
(b)	Jail	82,500.00
(·c)	County Farm	375,000.00
(d)	Water System	30,000.00
durni	ture and Equipment:	
(a)	Court Houses	54,500.00
(b)	Jail	1,600.00
(c)	County Home	50,000.00

\$763,600.00

# Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures

pended Balance Overdraft	\$ 383.61	\$ 80.64	295.73	1.0.800	403.13	207.19	236.80	318.00	1,309.14	2,005.70	88.47	4,024.61		1,368.93	938.11	188.88	2.67	1,183.42	80.00	0 7	165.12	1,342.05	743.17	445.94	3.16 \$ 9,844.73
Expendi- Unexpended tures		33 34			4p				1,30				1,404.01							,	16	1,34	74	44	\$ 11,643.16
Expendi- tures	\$ 12,185.01	1,419.30	3,295.73	2,659.57	7,536.87	6,782.81	263.20	682.00	5,190.86	17,005.70	12,588.47	154,024.61	18,595.99	18,368.93	3,438.11	44,811.12	10,444.33	10,816.58	4,080.00	17,460.00	834.88	2,657.95	11,256.83	2,554.06	\$ 368,961.57
Appropria- tions	\$ 11,800.00	υυ.ύυς,1	3,000.00	2,000.00	8,000.00	00.000,7	იი.00c	1,000.00	6,500.00	15,000.00	12,500.00	150,000.00	20,000.00	17,000.00	2,500.00	45,000.00	14,000.00	12,000.00	4,000.00	17,460.00	1,000.00	4,000.00	12,000.00	3,000.00	\$ 370,760.00 \$ 368,961.57 368,961.57
	County Officers' Salaries	County Officers' Expenses	Register of Deeds Expenses	Register of Probate Expenses	Care and Supplies for Court Houses	Jury Payrolls	State vs Pavrolls	Counsel Fees	Stenographer—Solicitor	Clerk of Superior Court	Sheriff and Deputies	County Farm	Support of Poor not at County Farm	Old Age Assistance	Aid to Disabled	Board and Care of Children	Aid to Soldiers	Welfare Administration Expense	Interest	County Extension Service	Retirement System	Social Security	Improvements—Court Houses	Miscellaneous	

Under Appropriations

\$1,706.46

## **Financial Report** Receipts And Current Revenue: Taxes from towns and cities \$272,240.00 Income of Institutions (a) County Farm \$99,531.80 (b) Court Houses 400.00 99,931.80 Reimbursement of Expenditures for support of poor, etc. (a) From State of N. H. 813.25 5,238.62 (b) From other sources \$378,223.67 Total Current Revenue Receipts \$378,223.67

(Receipts carried to page 28)

## Payments

## Financial Report

# Current Maintenance Expenses

General Government		
1. Salaries of		
(a) Commissioners	\$5,400.00	
(b) Treasurer	500.00	
(c) Auditors	200.00	
(d) Solicitor	2,400.00	
(e) Medical Referees	1,883.61	
(f) Sheriff	1,800.00	
	9	812,183.61
2. Expenses of		
(a) Commissioners	1,153.35	
(b) Treasurer	266.01	
(c) Register of Deeds	2,831.48	
(d) Register of Deeds		
(Indexing)	464.25	
(e) Register of Probate	2,659.57	
		7,374.66
3. Care and Supplies of		
Court Houses		7,536.87
Superior Court		
4. Jury Payrolls	6,792.81	
5. "State vs.—" Payrolls	263.20	
6. Counsel and Referee fees	682.00	
7. Stenographer, Solicitor	5,190.86	
8. Clerk of Superior Court	17,005.70	
9. Sheriff and Deputies	12,588.47	
		42,523.04

(Payments carried to page 29)

Financial Report	Receipts And
Total Receipts brought forward	\$378,223.67
Receipts Other than Current Reve	enue:
Temporary loans during year Total Receipts other than	\$200,000.00
Current Revenue	200,000.00
Total Receipts from all Sources	\$578,223.67
Cash on hand at beginning of year	16,266.79
GRAND TOTAL	\$594 490 <b>4</b> 6

Pa	yments	Financial	Report
	Public Welfare		
10.	County Farm expenditures	\$154,024.61	
11.	Support of poor not on		
	County Farm	18,595.99	
12.	Old Age Assistance	18,368.93	
13.	Aid to Disabled	3,438.11	
14.	Board & Care of Children	44,811.12	
15.	Aid to Soldiers	10,444.33	
16.	Welfare Administration	10,816.58	
		-	\$260,499.67
Tot	al Current Maintenance Exp	enses	330,117.85
	Interest		ŕ
17.	Paid on temporary loans		4,080.00
	Indebtedness		
18.	Payments on temporary loan	ns	200,000.00
	Outlay, New Construction		
19.			11,256.83
	(Plymouth & Woodsville)		
20.	All Other Payments		17 460 00
21.	County Extension Service Retirement System		17,460.00 834.88
	Social Security		2,657.95
23.	*		487.28
24.	Miscellaneous		2,066.78
۵٦.	miscenaneous		2,000.76
Tot	al Payments for all purposes		\$568,961.57
Cas	h on hand at end of year		25,528.89
		-	

\$594,490.46

GRAND TOTAL

# **Detail of Receipts**

## Taxes from Towns

Alexandria	\$ 1,516.38
Ashland	7,660.83
Bath	<b>2</b> ,368.49
Benton	266.80
Bethlehem	9,885.03
Bridgewater	3,552.73
Bristol	9,661.80
Campton	5,874.94
Canaan	4,726.09
Dorchester	424.69
Easton	650.65
Ellsworth	152.45
Enfield	6,403.08
Franconia	3,863.08
Grafton	1,423.81
Groton	1,029.07
Hanover	32,154.27
Haverhill	11,679.10
Hebron	2,077.19
Holderness	8,613.67
Landaff	699.66
Lebanon	35,979.24
Lincoln	7,600.94
Lisbon	9,520.23
Littleton	50,590.36
Lyman	724.16
Lyme	3,985.59
Monroe	15,898.82
Orange	441.03
Orford	3,128.04
Piermont	3,046.37
Plymouth	12,452.26
Rumney	3,849.47

Thornton	ţ	2,801.35
Warren		1,671.55
Waterville	*	255.91
Wentworth		1,418.37
Woodstock		4,192.50
		\$272,240.00

No uncollected taxes

# **Detail of Receipts**

## Income of Institutions

Grafton County Farm		\$99,531.80
(See report of Supt. of County	y	
Farm)		
Court Houses		
State Tax Commission	\$10.00	
Town of Plymouth	365.00	
Sale of furniture	25.00	
		400.00
Reimbursem	ents	
State of New Hampshire		
Old Age Assistance		813.25
Other Sources		010,20
Boarded Children	2,159.90	
Direct Relief	2,544.99	
Soldiers Aid	397.46	
Refund on sheriffs bonds	44.15	
Refund on telephone calls	79.90	
Miscellaneous	12.22	
		5,238.62
Temporary Loans I	Ouring Year	
National State Capital Bank, Co		
Note No. 165, dated 1/18/57,	meora, iv. ii.	
due 12/18/57		
Discounted @ 2.70	100,000.00	
National State Capital Bank, Co	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Note No. 166, dated 5/7/57,	ncord, IV. 11.	
due 12/7/57		
Discounted @ 2.70	100,000.00	
		200,000,00

200,000.00

# Detail of Payments Current Maintenance Expenses

Commissioners:	Expenses	
Kenneth G. Bell	\$1,800.00	
George F. Clement	1,800.00	
Robert A. Jones	1,800.00	
2000 <b>010</b> 211 Journe		
		\$5,400.00
Treasurer:		
Lawrence M. Colby		500.00
Auditors:		
Horace B. Knight	100.00	
George H. Richardson	100.00	
		200.00
Solicitor:		
Charles F. Tesreau		2,400.00
Medical Referees:		
Paul M. Choate, M.D.	11.60	
Kenneth Churchill, M.D.	10.00	
Chas. W. Copenhaver, M.D.	43.20	
L. B. Copenhaver, M.D.	110.91	
Charles Cunningham, M.D.	110.00	
R. F. DeWitt, M.D.	321.05	
I. A. Dinerman, M.D.	56.30	
Frank G. Dudley, M.D.	128.00	
Warren L. Franz, M.D.	330.00	
R. K. House, M.D.	230.00	
Frederick McIver, M.D.	14.60	
R. E. Miller, M.D.	220.00	
W. F. Putnam, M.D.	276.55	
Walter A. Rihl, M.D.	21.40	
		1,883.61
Sheriff:		
Herbert W. Ash		\$1,800.00

Expenses	of	County	Officers
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Zaponsos of County Can		
Kenneth G. Bell, Commissioner	\$474.00	
George F. Clement, Commissioner	219.35	
Robert A. Jones, Commissioner	460.00	
		1,153.35
Lawrence M. Colby, Treasurer	51.41	
G. T. Noyes Ins. Agency, bond	214.60	
		266.01
Register of Deeds		
F. J. Shores, telephone	\$60.00	
F. J. Shores, supplies and express	5.21	
Bartlett Insurance Agency, bond	23.13	
Courier Printing Co., supplies	77.48	
Edson Eastman Co., supplies	5.58	
Hall & McChesney, supplies	1,151.14	
Hill's Store, supplies	2.49	
Int'l Bus. Mach. Corp., labor	16.10	
Walter Jock, labor	2.20	
Keystone Envelope Company, supplie		
Carl Larson, supplies	34.21	
E. B. Mann & Co., supplies		
A. E. Martell Co., supplies	352.87	
S. F. McAllister, supplies	1.50	
Northern Office Supply Co., supplies	4.00	
Record Print, printing	82.62	
Remington Rand, Inc., supplies	709.70	
Sherwin & Son, supplies	4.64	
Stewart, Warren & Benson, supplies	107.50	
Fred L. Tower Companies, register	15.50	
Tuttle Stationery Co., supplies	127.39	
White River Paper Co., supplies	3.93	
write ferver raper co., supplies	0.90	

Register of Deeds-Indexing
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Payments made to Fred J. Shores	as follows:
Ruth Darling	\$75.75
Harriet Hosford	210.00
Pauline Prescott	28.50
Charlotte Shores	150.00

\$464.25

### Register of Probate

Anna D. Proctor, express, postage,	
misc.	\$69.65
Art Metal Construction Co., equip.	28.45
Bartlett Ins. Agency, deputy's bond	23.13
Crowley & Lunt, directory	22.50
Hall & McChesney, supplies	221.25
Hill's Store, fan	46.95
International Bus. Machines Corp.,	
typewriter	550.00
International Bus. Machines Corp.,	
supplies	13.92
Carl Larson, supplies	295.81
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., service	160.50
Remington Rand, supplies	91.68
Fred L. Tower Companies, register	15.50
Tuttle Stationery Co., supplies and	
equipment	677.93
Twin State Pub. Co., notices	52.20
White River Paper Co., supplies	23.37
Woodsville Post Office, postage	117.60
Judge Henry A. Dodge, telephone,	
express, postage	76.63
Littleton National Bank, rent	
Judge's Office	150.00
Northern Office Supply Co., supplies	22.50

### Care and Supplies of Court Houses

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Melvin Adams, cartage	\$84.00
Adams Market, supplies	3.15
Atlas Products Co., supplies	40.24
B & M Railroad, freight on coal	271.20
William Brill, labor	18.00
Ralph W. Cass, labor	80.09
Malcolm Cayes, labor	16.19
Marjorie Cronin, labor	349.18
Cushing & Son, W. C., labor	12.48
Eastern States Farmers Exchange,	
supplies	4.56
Bert Flanders, janitor and supplies	226.01
Charles George, labor	126.50
Gulf Oil Products, oil	1,184.13
Hartley Hardware Co., labor	1.95
Elsie Howard, labor	35.32
Insurance	648.48
Keilty Chemical Co., supplies	39.07
Cecil Langway, janitor	2,220.00
Cecil Langway, extra labor	5.00
E. B. Mann & Co., supplies	9.46
D. H. Newell Co., Inc., coal	332.22
People's Market, supplies	3.92
Rand's, supplies	65.65
Scruggs Hardware, labor & supplies	616.81
Treas. State of New Hampshire, flags	189.90
Water Dept. Plymouth Village, rent	30.00
White Mountain Power Co., service	218.01
White River Paper Co., supplies	15.14
F. S. Willey Co., express	5.96
Woodsville Fuel Co., unloading coal	71.75
Woodsville Water & Light Dept.,	
service	612.50

Superior Court — Counsel an	nd Referee 1	Pees
William F. Batchelder,	\$40.00	
attorney fees	\$40.00	
Luigi Castello, attorney fees	35.00	
Francis P. Edes, attorney fees	100.00	
Fred A. Jones, attorney fees	50.00	
Robert A. Jones, attorney fees	50.00	
Albert J. Lemieux, attorney fees	25.00	
Mack Mussman, attorney fees	225.00	
Unwar J. Samaha, reference fees	157.00	
		\$682.00
Stenographer — County	Solicitor	
Frances M. Doherty, stenog. fees	\$183.51	
Martha A. Forsberg, stenog. fees	2.56	
Margaret O. Laraba, stenog. fees	20.50	
Paul A. Sheehan, stenog. fees	988.60	
State Treasurer, Allowance		
stenographer	2,154.96	
Charles F. Tesreau, Solicitor	ŕ	
expenses, supplies	1,090.73	
Charles F. Tesreau, clerk hire	750.00	
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Clerk of Superior C	ourt	\$5,190.86
R. T. Bartlett Ins. Agency, bonds	\$50.00	
Boston Law Book Co, supplies	267.50	
Eppe's, equipment	77.80	
Edith H. Gammell, indexing	945.00	
Arthur S. Healey, printing	5.46	
Int'l Bus. Mach. Corp., typewriter	2.10	
and supplies	542.77	
Mrs. N. Johnson, repairs	24.00	
Carl Larson, supplies	27.09	
Lawyers Co-op Pub. Co., supplies	112.00	
	1,168.31	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., service	1,100.31	

Remington Rand, Inc., supplies	59.50
Unwar J. Samaha,	
salary and expense	11,273.21
Secretary of State, supplies	4.00
Shepard's Citations, supplies	18.00
George Shovan, Supreme Court	
Opinions	25.00
Kellett Stockheimer, P.M., postage	168.80
Fred L. Tower Companies, register	15.50
Tuttle Stationery Co., equipment	
and supplies	1,324.97
Twin State Pub. Co., docket and	
printing	831.51
Universal Distributors, equipment	65.28

\$17,005.70

### Sheriff and Deputies

Herbert W. Ash,	
fees, expenses, attendance	\$4,746.96
Herbert W. Ash,	
clerk hire	732.00
Koland Alling,	
fees, expenses, attendance	1,415.90
Jerold M. Ashley,	
fees, expenses, attendance	621.48
John L. Farnham,	
fees, expenses, attendance	1,244.13
Theodore R. Gardner,	
fees, expenses, attendance	1,385.32
John Grant,	
fees, expenses, attendance	29.40
Stanley Hubbard,	202 55
fees, expenses, attendance	203.55
Fred L. Johnson,	202 55
fees, expenses, attendance	892.55

Paul W. Knight,	
fees, expenses, attendance	385.25
W. J. Larty,	
fees, expenses, attendance	106.80
Lucien G. White,	
fees, expenses, attendance	201.00
Rufus Vintinner,	
fees, expenses, attendance	30.95
A. B. Gile Co., deputy's bond	37.00
Ayer Insurance Agency, bonds	321.83
Bartlett Insurance Agency, bonds	74.00
Shores Insurance, bond	37.00
Clinton H. Kelley, Agent, bond	37.00
Herbert Brown Agency, bond	10.00
Belmont Supply Co., supplies	29.91
Demming Chevrolet, repairs police	
radio	26.44
Merrill's Insurance Agency, bond	20.00

\$12,588.47

### **Detail of Payments**

Statement of Old Age Assistance, Boarded Children and Aid to Disabled

1957			Boarded Children Cases Amount		Disabled Cases Amount				
January	80	\$ 1	,546.35	84	\$	3,418.48	8	\$	280.44
February	81	т —	,455.29	91	Ψ	3,611.62	8	Ψ	264.43
March	80		,405.15	92		3,614.82	8		265.48
April	83	1	,705.70	90		3,504.77	9		295.75
May	84	1	,580.14	87		3,735.33	9		295.75
June	79	1	,607.94	86		3,727.58	10		307.48
July	78	1	,526.15	90		3,394.81	10		307.48
August	81	1	,304.34	85		3,524.65	8		275.98
Septembe	r 79	1	,588.16	88		4,438.65	9		283.78
October	78	1	,583.18	84		3.770.81	9		277.38
November	75	1	,501.69	83		3,904.41	8		269.33
December	77	1	,564.84	80		4,165.19	8		314.83
		\$ 18	.368 93		\$	44.811.12		\$	3.438.11

County Farm Expenditures

(See Superintendent's Report—Page 51)

### Detail of Payments

### Welfare Administration Expense

Caledonia Typewriter Co., equipment	
and repairs	\$319.50
Marjorie Cronin, labor	7.50
Densmore & Eastman, rent	
Lebanon Office	300.00
Granite State Electric Co., lights	18.29
Evelyn J. Hammond, supplies	6.45
Carl Larson, supplies	12.85
E. B. Mann & Co., supplies	14.65
A. E. Martell Co., supplies	104.16
S. F. McAllister, repairs	2.75
N. E. Tel. & Tel., service	980.90
Northern Office Supply Co., supplies	28.20
Office Supply Center, repairs, supplies	27.41
Remington Rand, supplies	15.50
Twin State Pub. Co., supplies	21.70
White River Paper Co., supplies	8.78
Woodsville Post Office, postage	179.60
Salaries of Investigators	4,240.00
Expenses of Investigators	1,914.19
Clerical expense - Welfare office	2,614.15

\$10,816.58

### **Detail of Payments**

#### Interest

National State Capital Bank, Concord, N. H. Interest on temporary loans No. 165 & 166 \$4,080.00

#### Indebtedness

National State Capital Bank, Concord, N. H. Payment of temporary loans No. 165 & 166 200,000.00

### Outlay, New Construction

Plymouth and Woodsville Court Houses

Cooley Construction, paving	\$1,251.45
Everett Enderson, painting	464.41
C. L. Estey, supplies	1.96
Fracher's Hardware, labor	5.00
Clyde Foote, painting	205.70
Heath & Fadden, roof repair	332.00
Hudson & Ingram, architects	593.96
Johnson's Electric Service, wiring	489.83
E. B. Mann & Co., supplies	2.27
Northern Heating & Plumbing Co.	,
heating contract	2,964.00
Post Products, ceiling contract	1,480.00
Rand's, supplies	226.34
Major L. Rodd, roof contract	2,420.72
Samaha's Electric Service, electric	
contract	609.84
Scruggs Hardware, labor & sup.	111.85
Woodsville Furniture Co., equip.	69.15
Union Leader, notice	28.35

	\$11,256.83
County Extension Service	\$17,460.00
Retirement System	834.88
Social Security	2,657.95

### Miscellaneous

Ayer Insurance Agency,	
workmen's compensation	\$673.62
Courier Printing Co., reports	381.95
Division of Municipal Accounting,	
Audit	420.69
Family Drug Store, supplies	4.00
First National Store, supplies	97.42
Dr. H. C. Pickwick, service	4.00
Bernice M. McWilliams, bond	10.00
Charles F. Tesreau	400.00
Union Leader, budget hearing ad.	37.80
White River Paper Co., supplies	12.30
Woodsville Post Office, postage	
on reports	25.00

2,066.78

Delegation Expense	
Arthur F. Adams	\$11.80
Chester Avery	27.50
Gertrude Bucklin	13.20
Edwin P. Chamberlin	4.00
Stanley Chamberlin	24.80
Forrest B. Cole	24.00
Florimond DuS. Duke	10.80
Joseph L. Graham	14.60
Harold W. Haskins	8.60
Elizabeth W. Hayward	10.80
Earle Howard	23.90
Fred A. Jones	11.80
Fred Kelley	7.40
Wilfred J. Larty	3.00
Eda Martin	36.20
George M. McGee	8.80
Lottie M. McLaughlin	23.10
Norman A. McMeekin	3.00

Oscar Morse	12.20
Lauie A. Nettleton	12.60
Nina Peabody	7.40
Bowdoin Plumer	14.00
J. Daniel Porter	11.80
Thomas Pryor	26.00
I. H. Sanborn	13.20
Ray O. Sargent	<b>27</b> .43
Arthur E. Snell	21.45
Malcolm J. Stevenson	8.40
Harry S. Townsend	11.80
Philip Willey	13.20
Elsie Williams	16.20
Walter M. Wolff	24.30

\$487.28

### Treasurer's Report

### Receipts

Cash balance from the year 1956	\$16,266.79
Taxes collected from towns	272,240.00
Temporary loans	200,000.00
Grafton County Farm	99,531.80
Court Houses	400.00
Reimbursement for Board of Children	2,159.90
Reimbursement for Direct Relief	2,544.99
Reimbursement for Soldiers' Aid	397.46
Reimbursement for Old Age Assistance	813.25
Refund on sheriffs' bonds	44.15
Refund on telephone calls	79.90
Miscellaneous	12.22

\$594,490.46

### Disbursements

Commissioners Orders	\$333,169.05
Court Orders	35,792.52
Payment on temporary loans	200,000.00
Cash in Treasurer's hands Dec. 31, 1957	25,528.89
	\$594,490.46

### Comparative Debt Statement

	Dec. 31, 1956	Dec. 31, 1957
Temporary loans		
outstanding	Nor	ne None
Cash on hand	\$16,566.79	\$25,828.89
Bills receivable	3,687.48	6,063.88
	\$20,254.27	\$31,892.77
Bills payable	None	None
	-	
SURPLUS	\$20,254.27	\$31,892.77

	Aid to Soldiers				\$ 8.95	146.19	254.72	95.97	514.39	568.43		2,096.44		1,004.18		557.54	62.32		52.96	2.889.14	
VELFARE	Old Age Board & Care sistance of Children		\$ 5.00	443.62	2,577.03		2,639.79	58.51	2,451.27			893.35	66.59			445.00	948.66		88 45	17,534.41	
S-PUBLIC V	Old Age B Assistance	\$ 40.87	850.38	157.51	252.00		98.12	202.53	76.82		228.75	939.22		323.08	228.12	267.11	3.893.53	805.26	553,63	2,476,36	306 00
PAYMENTS	Disabled Poor not on County Farm			\$ 253.27	30.00	393.86	16.83		1,980.07			2,281.10				70.28	477.72		20.00	8,388 12	56 4.1
DETAILS OF PAYMENTS-PUBLIC WELFARE	Disabled					\$ 245.70										587.14	251.42			1,504.31	198.54

Bridgewater

Bristol

Campton

Canaan

Bethlehem

Alexandria

Ashland

Bath

Dorchester Ellsworth

Franconia

Enfield

Grafton

Groton

Holderness

Lebanon Landaff

Tincoln.

Lishon

Haverhill

Hanover

3,009.46 357.01 5,022.55

568.43 228.75 66.59

6,210.11

854.40 785.75

2,867.98

Total

228.12 1,927.07 5,633.65

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557.31	278.32	9.82	135.17
	1,116.21	867.07	
359.21 68.38	1,120.06	88.23	162.97 291.34
118.00	838.43	190.00 213.68	
			651.00
Orford Piermont	Plymouth Rumney	Thornton	Wentworth Woodstock

\$ 95,658.48

\$ 44,811.12 \$ 10,444.33

\$ 3,438.11 \$ 18,595.99 \$ 18,368.93

### Detailed Account of Welfare Investigators' Expenses

	Mileage	Hotel and Subsistence	Other Expense	Total
*Beatrice M. Warren				
15,985 mi. @ 7¢ Home visits 840 Collections made \$2,239.07	\$ 1,118.95	\$ 44.60	\$ 78.10 \$	3 1,241.65
†Evelyn J. Hammond 8,148 mi. at 7¢ Home visits 296 Collections made	570.36	75.01	27.17	672,54
\$2,863.28 *Covers Littleton and †Covers Lebanon Dist		Districts		

# Detailed Account of County Officers' Expenses

	Mileage Su	Hotel and bsistence	Other Expense	Total
Kenneth G. Bell	ф <i>40</i> 9 00	e c 00	ф <b>Б</b> ОО	Ф 454.00
Commissioner	\$ 463.00	\$ 6.00	\$ 5.00	\$ 474.00
George F. Clement Commissioner	189.30	8.75	21.30	219.35
Robert A. Jones Commissioner	449.00	6.00	5.00	460.00
Lawrence M. Colby Treasurer	46.90		219.11	266.01
Herbert W. Ash, She	riff			
Court Attendance				
\$1,845.00	324.00	83.70	10.00	2,262.70
Criminal Service				
\$895.00	1,064.20	126.45	398.61	2,484.26
Charles F. Tesreau Solicitor	216.48	34.40	839.85	1,090.73

### County Auditor's Report

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1957

### County Treasurer's Account

Balance on hand January 1, 1957	\$16,266.79	
Receipts - Year Ended 12/31/57	578,223.67	
	\$594,490.46	
Payments - Year Ended 12/31/57	568,961.57	
Balance - December 31, 1957		
as per Cash Book		\$25,528.89
Balance in Woodsville Nat'l Bank	' '	
Littleton Nat'l Bank	25,535.00	
As per statements of 12/31/57	41,801.99	
Less outstanding orders	16,273.10	
Reconciled bank balance		
as of December 31, 1957		\$25,528.89
County Farm Superintend	ent's Accou	nt
Total Amount of Receipts from		+00 #04 00
Institution Year Ended 12/31/57		\$99,531.80
Total Remittance to County Treas Year Ended 12/31/57	urer	\$99,531.80
• • •	1 /1 /57	\$300.00
Superintendent's Balance on hand 1/1/57		\$300.00
Superintendent's Balance on hand		\$300.00
Indebtedness - December	er 31, 1957	
Outstanding Temporary Loans in		
Anticipation of Taxes		None
Outstanding Long Term Notes		None
Outstanding Bonds		None
Bills owed by County		None

### County Taxes Uncollected - December 31, 1957

County Taxes due from Towns and Cities

None

Signed,

G. H. RICHARDSON

H. B. KNIGHT

County Auditors

Date-January 16, 1958

Woodsville, N. H. December 31, 1957

We hereby certify that there were no outstanding bills against the County December 31, 1957, which were presented for payment and no orders issued by us which have not been paid by the Treasurer.

KENNETH G. BELL GEORGE F. CLEMENT ROBERT A. JONES Grafton County Commissioners

State of New Hampshire, Grafton, ss

December 31, 1957

Personally appeared the above named Kenneth G. Bell, George F. Clement and Robert A. Jones and made oath to the above statement by them signed.

ANNA D. PROCTOR

Justice of the Peace

### Superintendent's Report

Grafton County Farm Haverhill, N. H.

#### Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my report of the Grafton County Farm Almshouse, House of Correction and Jail for the year ended December 31, 1957.

#### **ALMSHOUSE**

Number of Inmates January 1, 1957	74	
Number admitted during year	105	
Number discharged during year	87	
Number of deaths during year	21	
Number of Inmates January 1, 1958	71	
HOUSE OF CORRECTION		
Number of Inmates January 1, 1957	8	
Number admitted during year	94	
Number discharged during year	81	
Number of Inmates on January 1, 1958	21	
JAIL		
Number of Inmates January 1, 1957	5	
Number admitted during year	42	
Number discharged during year	37	
Number of Inmates January 1, 1958	10	
mber of weeks board furnished inmates,	House	C

Number of weeks board furnished inmates, House of Correction and Jail not paid by towns, individuals or others, 2,381 weeks and 4 days.

Number of weeks board furnished other than above mentioned, 2,337 weeks and 2 days.

### County Farm Expenditures

### INSTITUTION

Labor	\$26,183.18	
Provisions	11,550.64	
Clothing	1,766.24	
Supplies and equipment	6,115.70	
Fuel, including freight	10,070.00	
Additions and repairs, including		
paint job (\$1,619.00)	4,654.11	
Water and lights	2,443.00	
Freight, express, telephone	887.40	
Insurance	1,373.09	
Roach extermination	216.00	
Services of Clergy	220.00	
Expenses Superintendent's car	432.08	
Superintendent's bond	40.00	
Fixed charges and other expense	298.40	
		\$66,249.84

### FARM

Truck and tractor expense	\$2,510.71
Taxes	3,460.75
Insurance	591.19
Light and power	1,200.00
Labor	9,895.67
Feed	23,576.68
Supplies	1,565.33
Repairs, including paint job	
(\$3,418.00)	5,348.87
Equipment	1,095.75
Fertilizer	1,643.25
Veterinary	471.25
Milk testing	238.87
Registering cattle	93.20
Seeds	292.16

Bedding	1,215.04	
Bulldozer and land clearing	515.00	
Livestock and poultry	717.50	
Miscellaneous	599.11	
		\$55,030.33
HOSPITAL		
Doctors	\$2,884.50	
Labor - Nurses and Aides	16,286.40	
Laboratory work	372.00	
Supplies and equipment	4,832.05	
Outside hospital care	3,659.38	
Miscellaneous	157.81	
		\$28,192.14
JAIL		,
Labor	\$3,365.83	
Repairs	245.41	
Supplies	522.48	,
Insurance	<b>2</b> 49.44	
Other expense	169.14	
•		\$4,552.30
Total expenses		\$154,024.61
RECEIPTS		
Boarders		\$20,094.58
Hospital		31,369.77
Farm:		
Cattle and swine	\$11,650.50	
Milk and cream	34,016.10	
Produce Other Income	199.75 1,813.84	
Other Income	1,010.01	47,680.19
		1

Miscellaneous	387.26
Total Receipts	\$99,531.80
Cash advanced by Commissioners	300.00
	\$99,831.80
EXPENDITURES	
Paid County Treasurer	\$99,531.80
Cash on hand December 31, 1957	300.00
	\$99,831.80

### Inventory

### Personal Property of Grafton County Farm

### December 31, 1956

Livestock	\$53,840.00
Products and supplies	16,765.26
Farm implements	27,299.50
Household Furniture	6,935.20
Supplies and equip institution	26,118.54
Jail and House of Correction	1,279.80
Chapel	974.00
Hospital	13,075.24
	\$146,287.54

### Personal Property of Grafton County Farm December 31, 1957

Livestock	\$43,800.00
Products and supplies	14,694.84
Farm implements	23,438.50
Household Furniture	6,851.03
Supplies and equip institution	29,488.04
Jail and House of Correction	1,680.80
Chapel	974.00
Hospital	15,527.56
	\$136.454.77

## Per Capita Cost of Inmates at Grafton County Farm, including Almshouse, House of Correction and Jail

	Weeks	Days
Almshouse	1,426	2
House of Correction	826	0
Jail	139	2
		***************************************
	2,391	4

Town Boarders		400	1
Private boarders, OAA etc.	1,	937	1
		4,728	6
Total 4,728 wks and 6 days			
County Farm Expenditures	\$154,024.61		
Inventory of personal property			
at beginning of year	146,287.54		
Accounts due Farm at beginning			
of year	3,186.26	)	
		\$303,4	98.41
County Farm Receipts	\$99,531.80	)	
Inventory at end of year	136,454.77		
Accounts due Farm	5,821.52		
		241,8	08.09
Balance against Farm		\$61.6	90.32

Per capita cost per week including boarders and public welfare cases, but excluding employees and guests: \$13.04 plus

There were many activities on the farm as in previous years. The houses and cow barn were painted, as well as the trim on the institution.

The garden was especially productive and the other crops were good.

The population has increased during the past few months. Several of the older residents have had to be admitted to the hospital which has been filled nearly all of the time.

The Christmas party was a success as usual, with Santa Claus and the trees laden with gifts, thanks to the several societies that sent in beautifully wrapped presents. Fruit and favors were given, which were much appreciated.

Reverend Robbins, a group from Groton and Father Bolt have been very faithful in their ministrations to the people here.

Many books and magazines have been sent in for which we are very thankful.

We are deeply grateful to the Commissioners, Mrs. Kirk, the clergymen, doctors and employees for their help and cooperation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,
ERVILLE H. ALDRICH
Superintendent
CHRISTELE B. ALDRICH
Matron

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of the Superintendent of the County Farm for the year ended December 31, 1957 and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

KENNETH G. BELL
GEORGE F. CLEMENT
ROBERT A. JONES
Grafton County Commissioners

### INMATES OF GRAFTON COUNTY ALMSHOUSE

		Tin	ne Supp	orted
Name	Town	Age	Weeks	Days
Ethel Hall*	Alexandria	59	52	1
Lily Watson*	Ashland	76	52	. 1
Marie Jervah*	Bethlehem	50	52	1
Sarah Ferrin*	Bristol	47	52	1
Charles Hackett*	Canaan	82	19	3
Alex Blouin	Canaan	59	1	4
Gustave Latvali*	Enfield	76	52	1
Clarence Peasley*	Enfield	75	52	1
Austin Carr	Enfield	70	7	1
Israel Peasley	Enfield	68	1	1
Joseph Morin*	Grafton	66	52	1
Julia Duchesne*	Hanover	67	45	4
Frank Mossey*	Haverhill	77	27	5
Ray Crokin	Haverhill	76	28	3
Charles McGiven	Haverhill	75	10	0
Ernest Applebee	Haverhill	42	13	1
George Ladner*	Haverhill	60	39	5
Evelyn Pollock	Haverhill	14		6
Charles Wedge	Haverhill	77		4
Asa Gates	Haverhill	65		2
James Colpitts	Haverhill	22	2	3
Leo Boutin	Haverhill	44		4
Leo Carbonneau*	Haverhill	56	2	3
Virginia Emery*	Holderness	39	52	1
Fred Clement*	Lebanon	65	52	1
Sadie Caron*	Lebanon	55	52	1
Henry Hyvonen*	Lebanon	71	52	1
Roosevelt McKella*	Lebanon	49	52	1
Bertha Macey	Lebanon	66	17	6
Ida Mae Regan	Lebanon	77	44	0
Claude Plummer*	Lebanon	46	28	6
Robert Neal	Lebanon	24	1	6
Joseph Fenton*	Lincoln	84	52	1
John Prowelenzy*	Lincoln	71	52	1
Howard Gray	Lincoln	57	16	6
William Goodwin*	Lisbon	18	52	1
Ora Powers	Lisbon	52	1	2
Leon Forin*	Lisbon	?	20	1
Susie Rasicot	Lisbon	47	1	0

#### INMATES OF GRAFTON COUNTY ALMSHOUSE

Time Supported Name Town Age Weeks Days Lisbon Elizabeth Stimpson 30 2 2 Idella Bennett Lisbon 38 1 5 Cynthia Ann Bennett Lisbon 1 day 5 Carl Miner\* Littleton 78 52 1 99 6 Patrick Joyce Littleton 24 Mary Peacock Littleton 34 16 6 Helen Nourse Littleton 45 11 4 Linda Ward 3 Littleton 3 1 Augustus Barrett\* 56 7 3 Littleton Jerry Tolman\* Orford 45 52 1 Jay LaMontague\* Piermont 60 52 1 Walter Greenleaf Plymouth 73 19 4 Augustus Derosier Plymouth 72 7 6 Oland Fuller 57 3 4 Rumney Earl O'Keefe 6 2 4 Warren 2 4 Oscar Hill, Jr. Warren 1 Osear Hill, Sr. 49 6 Warren Eleanor Hill 24 4 3 Warren Louise Derrick 30 3 Warren 3 Regina Derrick Warren 1 day Nancy Lee Hill 1 day 1 6 Warren Laura Garrett 50 4 0 Warren Catherine Hill 73 37 4 Warren 4 Mabel Ide Warren 73

Private boarders and public welfare cases not listed.

<sup>\*</sup> Indicates inmates now at farm.

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### TOWN BOARDERS AT GRAFTON COUNTY FARM

e ja		Tin	ne Supp	orted
Name	Town	Age	Weeks	Days
George Page	Bath	55	2	5
Vera Sartwell	Canaan	46	3	3
Charles Harrington	Hanover	71	22	5
Leo LaCourse	Hanover	55	16	1
Mary Wilde	Haverhill	61	1	1
Minnie Plant	Haverhill	59	8	1
Isabelle Loukx	Haverhill	37	22	2
London Loukx, Jr.	Haverhill	18 mo's	22	2
Vernon Carle*	Haverhill	63	6	2
John Freeman	Lebanon	34	13	0
Harriet Hutchins*	Lebanon	83	5	3
Joseph Smith*	Lincoln	85	52	1
John Powers*	Lincoln	75	52	1
Grace Nolette	Lincoln	18	4	4
Perley Gordon*	Littleton	78	52	1
Walter Campbell*	Littleton	63	52	1
William Duranty	Littleton	80	6	1
Mary Vigue	Littleton	?	2	2
Peter Powers	Littleton	46		4
James Dodge*	Littleton	52	1	3
Daniel Donovan*	Lyman	74	47	0
Hazel Bennett	Thornton	61		5
Guy Smith	Warren	69	5	2

<sup>\*</sup> Indicates inmates now at farm.

### INMATES OF GRAFTON COUNTY

#### HOUSE OF CORRECTION

			Ti	me Ser	ved
Name	Court	Crime	Age	Wks D	ays
Alewine, Edwa	rd J., Littleton	, Vagrancy	30	2	1
		Oriving while Intox.	21	3	3
Bruce, Robert	D., Superior, R	teckless Driving			
		Resulting in Death	30	15	3
Brown, Percey			62	15	3
Colpitt, George	S., Haverhill,		2.		
G 6-1 D		Violation		3	4
Crawford, Eno			47	6	3
Currier, Regin	aid, Jr., Haver	hill, Impersonating	01	11	A
Conner, Lawre	noo F Honove	an Officer	21 54	11 3	$\frac{4}{6}$
Cotting, Robert			36	2	4
		each of Contract	21	5	3
Dennis, Albert			18	11	4
Dailey, Hurber	•		30	11	4
		00 fine pd., Lewdness		7	5
		00 fine pd., Driving			
, :		License Suspension		11	4
Filfault, Wiott					
	Γ	Disturbing the Peace	35	23	1
Frye, Robert, 1	Lebanon, Takin	ng Car without			
		Owner's Consent	26	3	6
,	lter, Haverhill	<b>,</b>	76	11	4
	Lebanon, Dru		27	7	5
. ,	Hanover, Stea	•	27	3	6
	lter, Haverhill		75	7	5
	ld E., Superior		30	23	1
Hudson, Raiph	C., Lisbon, Co		9.4	2	4
Hooth Woodne		linquency of Minors th, Drunk, Disorderly		3 3	1 4
		reach of Peace	22	7	5
* /	ebanon, Drunk		43	7	5
	,	runk, Dist. Peace	31	11	4
		nk, Disturbing Peace		3	6
	W., Lebanon, B		22	1	2
		M.V. Violations	18	1	6
	ebanon, Drunk		43	11	1

#### INMATES OF GRAFTON COUNTY

#### HOUSE OF CORRECTION

	Tir	ne Serv	red
Name Court Crime	Age	Wks D	ays
Husbands, Albert A., Lebanon Superior,			
Embezzlement	56	28	2
Jalbert, Henry J., Haverhill, Drunk	50	11	4
Jalbert, Henry J., Lisbon, Drunk	50	3	6
Jordan, Lionel, Lincoln, Ind. & Disorderly	18	23	1
Jalbert, Henry J., Littleton, Vagrant	50	15	3
Johnson, Harold H., Lebanon, 3 M.V. Violations	47	7	0
King, Leon H., Littleton, Vagrant	62	7	2
LaRue, Donald E., Lincoln, Stealing, 6 mo., \$50			
fine	21	17	3
Leach, Howard, Littleton, Taking Car without			
Owner's Consent	30	7	4
LaFountain, William A., Enfield, Drunk,			
Disturbing the Peace	24	23	1
Laurie, Westey G., Hanover, Stealing	18	7	. 5
McDonald, Boyd, Plymouth, M.V. Violation	19	7	5
Murray, Harold, Littleton, M.V. Violation	29	7	4
Moville, Alfred L., Lebanon, Disturbance at			
Private Dwelling	33	23	1
Merrick, Richard, Haverhill, Stealing	22	17	5
Mulloy, Joseph, Woodstock, Drunk	45	3	6
Moody, Wesley D., Hanover, Non Support	30	3	6
Montgomery, Charles, Haverhill, Operating Car			
Without License	18	3	4
Nelson, Levi, Haverhill, Bad Check	36	7	5
Norman, Carl E., Hanover, Taking Car Without			
Owner's Consent	23	3	6
Nehan, Dennis, Bethlehem, Drunk, Disorderly	47	7	5
Nichols, Edward M., Littleton, Beer to Minors	21	1	5
O'Neil, Gerald, Hanover, Drunk	56	3	6
O'Neil, Jerry, Hanover, Drunk	56	3	6
Plante, Lawrence V. G., Bethlehem, Larceny of			
Furniture.	21	14	3
Pollock, Hamilton, Haverhill, Operating Motor			
Vehicle after License Revocation	50	3	6
Pray, Clarence, Haverhill, Drunk, Disorderly	53	7	5
Pierce, George, Enfield, Drunk, Disorderly	43	23	1

# INMATES OF GRAFTON COUNTY HOUSE OF CORRECTION

	Tir	ne Ser	ved
Name Court Crime	Age	Wks D	ays
Roderick, Frank, Littleton, Vagrant	68	3	6
Rasicot, Fred, Haverhill, Stealing	24	3	6
Rasicot, Fred, Lisbon, Drunk	25	3	6
Russell, Fred, Hanover, Drunk	55	7	5
Russell, Fred, Lebanon, Drunk	55	3	6
Small, Robert E., Bristol, 3 M.V. Violations	21	15	3
Stiles, Wayne S., Littleton, Driving Under the			
Influence, Assault & Battery	19	31	1
Smith, Edward, Bristol, Drunk, Disturbing			
the Peace	67	18	3
Sorrell, Walace H., Canaan, Drunk Driving	35	23	1
Sims, Monyel F., Canaan, Assault & Battery	36	11	4
Slocum, Everett H., Superior, Bigamy	31	23	1
Slocum, Everett H., Campton, Non Support	31	17	0
Santy, Rodney E., Haverhill, Taking Car without			
Owner's Consent	20	0	2
Sullivan, Joseph, Bethlehem, Drunk, Disorderly	54	3	6
Sharpe, Perley H., Lebanon, Forgery	56		
Sprague, Roland M., Superior, Stealing	32	1	0
Tenney, Ira Jr., Superior, Selling Car of Another			
Person	24	15	6.
Tattersall, George E., Canaan, Non Support	32	15	. 6
Therrault, Wilfred G., Superior, Contempt	39	24	2
Tobin, Paul R., Hanover, Beer to Minors	19	3	6
Welch, Roland, Bethlehem, Misuse of Auto Plates	51	7	5
Walters, Jackie Lee, Lebanon, Stealing Junk	20	7	5
Wallmy, Bernard N., Haverhill, Drunk Driving,			
\$125 paid	33	1	1
Webster, Philip E., Campton, Drunk Driving	22	11	4
Winget, Charles T., Bethlehem, Assault	40	3	6
Young, Bennie N., Lincoln, Assault & Battery	24	23	. 1

#### INMATES OF GRAFTON COUNTY JAIL

			Ti	ne Ser	ved
Name	Court	Crime	Age	Wks D	ays
Adams, Stan	ley, Superior,	\$10,000 Bail	44	2	1
	hur W., Havei		18	3	4
	rge S., Haverh				
• '	,	Counterfeit Note	54	7	5
Cotting, Rob	ert S., Leband	on, Contempt	38	5	3
Collins, Jud	son W., Hano	ver, Ent. Female Child			
		For Prostitution	19	3	1
Comeau, Ro	bert R., Plymo	outh, Drunk Driving,			
		d, Drunk, \$10 fine paid	39	3	3
Deveny, Joh	n A., Hanove	r, Unnatural and			
		Lascivious Act	18	8	0
	R., Haverhill,		30	2	3
		Superior, Contempt	30	10	6
	ır S., Littletor		50	6	5
		, B. & E. Larceny	19	3	2
Frye, Rober		Held for Superior			
F+	The second of the second		26	10	4
Finnerty, Cl	narles W., Wo	odstock, Larceny by			
		Check	35		1
		rhill, Counterfeit Check	23	3	1
		non Superior, Contempt	30		4
		oanon, Embezzlement	56	3	0
		erior, Contempt	36	2	0
	al A., Superior		. 41	12	4
Landry, Ray	mond, Leban	on, Attempted B. & E.,	9.4		4
Tomore Co.	ometa I Duinto	Released on bail \$500	24 27	1	4 2
		l, B. & E., Nighttime	. 41	Ţ	4
Lanue, Dona	ard E., Lincon	n, Assault, Released on bail \$300	21		1
Tamia Anth	ony Superior	, Fugative from	21		1
Lame, Anu	iony, superior	Justice	. 58	4	0
Lambert Th	endora I. Su	perior, Contempt, \$114	. 50		U
Balliocit, 11	icodore il., be	fine paid	29		2
McDonald F	Royd Ashland	Breaking & Entering	19	1	4
,	* /	2 Bad Checks,		-	-
112012403, 1000		Released on \$1,000 bail	34	1	0
Merrill, Ric		outh Superior, Contempt	29		4
,	John, Lincoln,	- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	22	1	2
	n, Haverhill,		30	1	2
	,				

### INMATES OF GRAFTON COUNTY JAIL

		Ti	me Ser	ved
Name Court	Crime	Age	Wks I	ays
Plamondon, Richard, Lebanor	, Robbery on			
	Threat of Death	30	11	0
Pike, Weymouth H., Lebanon	, Assault, bail \$500	28		2
Pike, Francis Earl, Lebanon,	Assault, bail \$500	24		2
Perras, Albert, Haverhill, M.V.	V. Violation	61		
Quimby, Roland D., Superior,	Contempt, bail \$300	35		3
Richards, Charles V., N.H. Pro	ob. Dept., Contempt	30	8	5
Reece, Thomas J., Hanover, H	Burglary, B. & E.	24	3	6
Sargent, Kenneth A., Superior	r, Violation of			
Court Order, Re	eleased on bail \$400	27		3
Tobin, Joanne, Lebanon, Brea	ak & Entering	19	3	1
Tobin, Paul, Lebanon, Break	& Entering	21	3	1
Twomey, Timothy, Haverhill,	Break & Entering	28	3	4
Tenney, Ira J., Hanover, Larc	eny	24	2	3
Thibodeau, Joseph, Superior,	Disob. Court Order	30	1	2

### Clerk of Court's Report

To the Commissioners of Grafton County:

I submit herewith report of the Receipts and Disbursements of this office for the year ending December 31, 1957, as examined and allowed by the Court.

### JANUARY TERM 1957

C	harges Agaist County:			
1.	Fees chargeable to County:			
	Mittimus, Capias, Etc.		\$ 4.00	
	20 State Entries		18.00	
	5 Probation Certificates		5.00	
	24 Divorce Cards		4.10	
	Total Fees			 \$ 31.10
2.	Permanent Records:			
	Equity Vol. 58, pgs. 552	\$	541.60	
	Equity Vol. 59, pgs. 528		514.40	
	Equity Vol. 60, pgs. 250		205.50	
	Equity Certifications		508.80	
	Civil Vol. 30, pgs. 84 to 152		54.40	
	Civil Certifications		68.00	
	Criminal Vol. 8, pgs. 349 to 366		13.60	
	Criminal Certifications		8.50	
	_			\$ 1,914.80
3.	Miscellaneous Cash Disbursement	S		4.76
4.	Allowance for Clerk & Clerical H	ire		2,582.10
	Total Charges		-	\$ 4,532.76
Cı	redits to County:			
1.	141 Entries	\$	126.90	
2.	Fines and Costs		569.10	
3.	Sale of Dockets		None	
4.	Sale of Rules of Court		None	
5.	Miscl. Credits to County		6.53	
6.	Fees Chargeable to County		31.10	

7.	Allowance for Permanent			
	Records	1,914.80		
8.	Allowance for Clerk and			
	Clerical Hire	1,884.33		
	Total Credits		\$	4,532.76
	APRIL TERM	1957		
		1307		
C	harges Against County:			
	Fees chargeable to County:			
1.	Mittimus, Capias, Etc.	\$ 16.00		
	10 State Entries	9.00		
	0 Probation Certificates	None		
	37 Divorce Cards	5.55		
	Total Fees	3.33		e 20 EE
2				\$ 30.55
۷.	Permanent Records:	¢ 222 FO		
	Equity Vol. 60, pgs. 250-502	\$ 232.50		
	Equity Vol. 61, pgs. 1-512	470.80		
	Equity Vol. 62, pgs. 1-202	191.40		
	Equity Certifications	522.30		4 44 7 00
			\$	1,417.00
	Miscellaneous Cash Disburseme			9.15
4.	Allowance for Clerk and Clerica	l Hire		2,787.56
	Total Charges	~	\$	4,244.26
Cr	redits to County:		7	.,
	154 Entries	\$ 138.60		
		,		
	Fines and Costs	46.60		
3	Fines and Costs Sale of Dockets	46.60 None		
	Sale of Dockets	None		
4.	Sale of Dockets Sale of Rules of Court	None None		
4. 5.	Sale of Dockets Sale of Rules of Court Misc. Credits to County	None None .54		
4. 5. 6.	Sale of Dockets Sale of Rules of Court Misc. Credits to County Fees chargeable to County	None None		
4. 5. 6.	Sale of Dockets Sale of Rules of Court Misc. Credits to County Fees chargeable to County Allowance for Permanent	None None .54 30.55		
4. 5. 6. 7.	Sale of Dockets Sale of Rules of Court Misc. Credits to County Fees chargeable to County Allowance for Permanent Records	None None .54		
4. 5. 6. 7.	Sale of Dockets Sale of Rules of Court Misc. Credits to County Fees chargeable to County Allowance for Permanent Records Allowance for Clerk and	None None .54 30.55 1,417.00		
4. 5. 6. 7.	Sale of Dockets Sale of Rules of Court Misc. Credits to County Fees chargeable to County Allowance for Permanent Records	None None .54 30.55 1,417.00 2,610.97	¢	4,244.26

### SEPTEMBER TERM 1957

Charges Against County:		
1. Fees chargeable to County:		
Mittimus, Capias, Etc.	\$ 4.00	
10 State Entries	9.00	
6 Probation Certificates	6.00	
32 Divorce Cards	4.80	
Total Fees -		\$ 23.80
2. Permanent Records		None
3. Miscellaneous Cash Disbursement	ts	11.36
4. Allowance for Clerk & Clerical H	lire	3,094.60
	-	
Total Charges		\$ 3,129.76
Credits to County:		
1. 138 Entries	\$ 124.20	
2. Fines and Costs	323.00	
3. Sale of Dockets	None	
4. Sale of Rules of Court	None	
5. Miscellaneous Credits to County	6.75	
6. Fees chargeable to County	23.80	
<ul><li>6. Fees chargeable to County</li><li>7. Allowance for Permanent</li></ul>	23.80	
	23.80 None	
7. Allowance for Permanent		
7. Allowance for Permanent Records		

Respectfully submitted,

UNWAR J. SAMAHA, Clerk of the Superior Court

### Report of The Grafton County Solicitor For The Year 1957

(JANUARY TERM)

- State v. Florence, Frank—1/4/57 Charged in Plymouth Municipal Court with grossly careless and grossly negligent operation; pleaded not guilty; found guilty; appealed; bail set at \$50; 6/11/57 pleaded nolo to charge of second speeding offence in same calendar year; fined \$50.
- State v. Drew, Arthur S.—11/21/56 Charged in Littleton Municipal Court with forgery; pleaded not guilty; bound over to Superior Court; bail set at \$1000 not furnished; committed to County Jail; 1/9/57 indicted by Grand Jury; 1/10/57 pleaded guilty; continued for sentence upon restitution of \$49.45.
- State v. Slocum, Everett H.—1/9/57 Indicted by Grand Jury on a charge of bigamy; detainer filed with Grafton County House of Correction until defendant finished present sentence; 4/29/57 arraigned; pleaded guilty; sentenced to six months in the House of Correction and fined \$25; fine suspended.
- State v. Huard, Roger R.—11/30/56 Charged in Plymouth Municipal Court with breaking, entering and larceny in the nighttime in Plymouth; pleaded not guilty; bail set at \$2000; 1/9/57 indicted by Grand Jury; 1/10/57 pleaded guilty; continued for sentence; placed on probation for two years.
- State v. Hanley, Thomas C.—11/30/56 Charged in Plymouth Municipal Court with breaking, entering and larceny in the nighttime in Plymouth;

- pleaded not guilty; bail set at \$1000.00; committed to County Jail; 1/9/57 indicted by Grand Jury; 1/10/57 pleaded guilty; continued for sentence; placed on probation for two years.
- State v. Sharon, Leroy—Charged in Ashland Municipal court with breaking, entering and larceny in the nighttime; pleaded not guilty; bound over to Superior Court; 1/9/57 indicted by Grand Jury; 1/10/57 pleaded guilty; continued for sentence; placed on probation for two years.
- State v. Henderson, Robert—Charged in Lebanon Municipal Court with grossly careless and negligent operation on 6/22/56; found guilty; pleaded not guilty; appealed to Superior Court; 9/29/56 pleaded guilty in Superior Court; fined \$50.
- State v. Goodman, Bennie—1/31/57 Charged in Lebanon Municipal Court with improper screening of junk yard; 2/5/57 pleaded guilty; fined \$100 \$25 suspended and 30 days in House of Correction suspended on payment of fine; mittimus to issue at call of Health Officer.
- State v. Welch, Roland D.—2/6/57 Charged in Hanover Municipal Court with non-support of wife; found guilty; pleaded guilty; sentenced to sixty days in House of Correction suspended on payment of \$9 weekly to wife.
- State v. Lamie, Anthony—Indicted in April Term 1953 for possession of a firearm after conviction of a felony; 4/8/57 pleaded guilty; sentenced to 18 months to 2 years in State Prison.
- State v. Maucieri, Nicholas R.—11/13/56 Charged in Canaan Municipal Court with shooting and killing a human being; pleaded not guilty; found guilty; fined \$500 and sentenced to 12 months

in House of Correction; appealed to Superior Court; bail set at \$1,000 furnished; 1/21/57 pleaded guilty to careless and negligent shooting; fined \$500 and sentenced to one year in State Prison suspended.

#### (APRIL TERM)

- State v. Recce, Thomas—3/11/57 Charged in Hanover Municipal Court with breaking, entering and larceny in the nighttime; pleaded not guilty; bail set at \$4000; committed to County Jail; 4/9/57 waived indictment; pleaded guilty; sentenced to two to four years in State Prison.
- State v. Bruce, Robert D.—2/15/57 Charged in Lisbon Municipal Court with reckless operation with deaths resulting; pleaded not guilty; bail set at \$1000 and furnished; 4/9/57 waived indictment; pleaded guilty; fined \$500 and sentenced to 12 months in House of Correction with 8 months suspended.
- State v. Hodge, Charles George—Charged with intent to defraud by representing to be Everett Cummings wrongfully obtained an auto; 4/24/57 indicted by the Grand Jury; detainer on file with Worcester County Jail.
- State v. Day, Tilden W.—2/18/57 Charged in Haverhill Municipal Court with grossly careless operation; pleaded not guilty; appealed to Superior Court; bail set at \$25; 6/11/57 pleaded nolo; fined \$25 suspended.
- State v. Roulx, Oscar—2/7/57 Charged in Haverhill Municipal Court with operating under the influence; pleaded not guilty; found guilty; 2/18/57 appealed; bail set at \$100; license revoked; 6/11/57 pleaded guilty; fined \$50; suspension of license for sixty days.

- State v. Plamondon, Richard—3/18/57 Charged in Lebanon Municipal Court with attempted armed robbery on 3/16/57; pleaded not guilty; waived examination; bail set at \$2,000; bound over to Superior Court and committed to County Jail; 4/25/57 pleaded not guilty and bail set at \$1,000; 6/3/57 retracts plea; enters plea of guilty; sentenced to one to three years in State Prison.
- State v. Davis, Harold Lisle—Charged in Ashland Municipal Court with gross lewdness and lascivious behavior at Holderness; 7/3/57 pleaded guilty; fined \$100 and sentenced to three months suspended in the House of Correction.
- State v. Deveney, John A.—7/18/57 Charged in Hanover Municipal Court with oral copulation with a minor; pleaded not guilty; bail set at \$1000; bound over to Superior Court; committed to County Jail pending results of State Hospital exam.
- State v. Husband, Arthur A.—5/27/57 Charged in Lebanon Municipal Court with embezzlement; pleaded not guilty; bail set at \$15,000 not furnished; bound over to Superior Court; committed to County Jail; 6/18/57 waived indictment; pleaded guilty; sentenced to one year in House of Correction.
- State v. Leavitt, Robert H.—7/17/57 Charged in Lebanon Municipal Court with possessing and showing obscene, lewd and lascivious pictures; pleaded guilty; fined \$50 and sentenced to ninety days in House of Correction suspended with a mittimus to issue at request of police.

- State v. Bowles, Arthur W.—5/20/57 Charged in Haverhill Municipal Court with larceny of goods valued at \$225; pleaded not guilty; bail set at \$500; bound over to Superior Court; 6/4/57 pleaded guilty; continued for sentence.
- State v. Sharpe, Perley H.—7/2/57 Charged in Lebanon Municipal Court with larceny by check; pleaded not guilty; waived examination; bail set at \$1.000 not furnished; committed to County Jail; 7/17/57 waived indictment; 7/18/57 pleaded guilty upon arraignment; sentenced to one to two years in State Prison.

#### (SEPTEMBER TERM)

- State v. Adams, Stanley W. A.—Indicted in April 1954
  Term on a charge of larceny of goods valued at
  \$149.46 at Woodstock; left jurisdiction; 9/12/57
  arraigned; pleaded guilty; continued for sentence and restitution of \$149.46 ordered through
  Probation Department.
- State v. Adams, Stanley W. A.—Indicted in April 1954
  Term on a charge of larceny of goods valued at \$68.90 at Woodstock; left jurisdiction; 9/12/57
  arraigned; pleaded guilty; continued for sentence and restitution of \$68.90 ordered through Probation Department.
- State v. Adams, Stanley W. A.—Indicted in April 1954
  Term on a charge of larceny of goods valued at
  \$60.95 at Woodstock; left jurisdiction; 9/12/57
  arraigned; pleaded guilty; continued for sentence and restitution of \$60.95 ordered through
  Probation Department.
- State v. Adams, Stanley W. A.—Indicted in April 1954
  Term on a charge of larceny of goods valued at
  \$124.55 at Woodstock; left jurisdiction; 9/12/57

- arraigned; pleaded guilty; continued for sentence and restitution of \$124.55 ordered through Probation Department.
- State v. Tenney, Ira, Jr.—Charged in Hanover Municipal Court with fraudulently selling property on 8/4/57 in Hanover; pleaded not guilty; bail set at \$1000; committed to County Jail; 9/12/57 arraigned in Superior Court; pleaded guilty; sentenced to six months in Grafton County House of Correction.
- State v. Collins, Judson Wade, Jr.—Charged in Hanover Municipal Court with enticing a female child on 8/16/57 in Hanover; pleaded not guilty; bail set at \$2500; committed to County Jail; 9/12/57 arraigned in Superior Court after waiving indictment to two charges of statutory rape; sentenced to one year one day to three years in State Prison on one charge, and continued for sentence on the second charge.
- State v. **Deveney**, John A.—Continued from April Term; 9/12/57 arraigned in Superior Court; pleaded guilty; continued for sentence and placed on probation for three years.
- State v. White, Archie C.—Charged in Woodstock Municipal Court with leaving scene of accident on 9/1/57; pleaded not guilty; found guilty; appealed; bail set at \$400 and furnished; 10/7/57 arraigned; pleaded guilty; fined \$100.
- State v. Pike, Weymouth—Charged in Lebanon Municipal Court with assault and disturbing the peace in Lyme on 1/20/57; pleaded not guilty; found guilty; appealed; bail set at \$500; 10/7/57 arraigned in Superior Court; pleaded guilty; fined \$30.

- State v. Pike, Francis—Charged in Lebanon Municipal Court with assault and disturbing the peace in Lyme on 1/20/57; pleaded not guilty; found guilty; appealed; bail set at \$500; 10/7/57 arraigned in Superior Court; pleaded guilty; fined \$30.
- State v. Twomey, Timothy J.—9/9/57 Charged in Haverhill Municipal Court with breaking, entering and larceny in Woodsville; pleaded not guilty; bail set at \$1000; committed to County Jail; 10/7/57 waived indictment; pleaded guilty; continued for sentence; placed on probation for one year.
- State v. Yeaton, Edith—5/7/57 Charged in Haverhill Municipal Court with selling beer on a Sunday; pleaded not guilty; found guilty; appealed; bail set at \$100 furnished; set for Superior Court; 10/16/57 tried in court; convicted; fined \$100.
- State v. Franusiak, Walter J.—6/14/57 Charged in Bristol Municipal Court with unreasonable speed; pleaded not guilty; found guilty; bail set at \$50; appealed to Superior Court; 10/14/57 pleaded guilty in Superior Court; fined \$15.
- State v. Avery, Gerald—9/13/57 Charged in Lebanon Municipal Court with possession of lewd and lascivious photographs; pleaded guilty; fined \$50 and sentenced to ninety days in House of Correction suspended with a mittimus to issue at request of police.
- State v. Balcom, Donald—11/4/57 Charged in Canaan Municipal Court with hunting deer having previously taken a deer on 11/2/57; 11/15/57 arraigned; pleaded guilty; fined \$200.

State v. Balcom, Donald—11/4/57 Charged in Canaan Municipal Court with shooting and killing a human being; 11/15/57 arraigned; pleaded nolo; fined \$500 and sentenced to one year in Grafton County House of Correction suspended.

Eleven (11) cases were prosecuted by the Solicitor in municipal courts including four (4) juvenile petitions, at the request of local officers. Eighteen (18) complaints were disposed of after the initial investigation while sixteen (16) matters were handled through correspondence with authorities from other jurisdictions. Fifteen (15) petitions for the support of dependents were received of which nine (9) were from other jurisdictions. Eighty-three (83) suicides, fatal accidents and other unattended deaths were reported and investigated with autopsies being authorized in eight (8) cases.

Motor Vehicle Inspector Joseph Duranty of Littleton, serving as President of the Grafton County Law Enforcement Association, guided the group through another successful year. It was particularly gratifying to the Association to have two of its instructional programs incorporated into the Vermont Police Academy training course. This is evidence of the high calibre of the training program offered all Grafton County officers four (4) times a year.

The officers of the Association for 1957 were: Motor Vehicle Inspector Joseph Duranty of Littleton, President; State Police Trooper Henry Genest of Haverhill, Vice President; Chief Nelson Adams of Hebron, Secretary-Treasurer; and Officer Dennis Cooney of Hanover, Sergeant-at-Arms.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES F. TESREAU

Grafton County Solicitor

#### Sheriff's Report

To the County Commissioners and voters of Grafton County:

I respectfully submit the following report as Sheriff of Grafton County from January 1, 1957 to December 31, 1957.

# JANUARY TERM AT LEBANON Herbert W. Ash, Sheriff

Court Attendance		
52 days @ \$10.00	\$520.00	
Travel	170.00	
Meals	28.85	
	***************************************	\$718.85
Criminal Investigation		w. •
26 days @ \$10.00	\$265.00	
Travel	349.10	
Meals	41.65	
Misc. expenses	18.46	
Phone	183.94	
Postage	20.98	
Supplies	3.65	
	*	\$882.78
Jerold M. Ashley,	Deputy Sheriff	
Court Attendance		
17 days @ \$10.00	\$170.00	
Paid Minister	10.00	
Meals	48.30	
Phone .	2.80	
		\$231.10
Theodore R. Gardne	r, Deputy Sheriff	
Court Attendance		
4 days @ \$10.00	\$40.00	
Travel	45.50	
Meals	2.90	
		\$88.40

Criminal Investigation		
2 days @ \$10.00	\$20.00	
Travel	17.00	
Phone	16.97	
Misc. expenses	9.00	
	-	\$62.97
John L. Farnham,	Deputy Sheriff	
Court Attendance		
17 days @ \$10.00	\$170.00	
Travel	157.00	
Meals	16.15	*
		\$343.15
Criminal Investigation		
4 days @ \$10.00	\$40.00	
Travel	48.60	
Meals	2.00	
Phone	6.54	
Fees-Mittimus	2.00	
		\$99.14
Koland G. Alling,	Deputy Sheriff	
Court Attendance		
6 days @ \$10.00	\$60.00	
Travel	10.00	
Meals	7.05	
		\$77.05
Criminal Investigation		
29 days @ \$10.00	\$290.00	
Travel	<b>2</b> 68.60	
Meals	23.70	
Paid assistance	30.00	
	**************************************	\$612.30

Fred	L.	Johnson,	Deputy	Sheriff
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Criminal	Investigation

2½ days @ \$10.00	\$25.00
Travel	24.00
Meals	11.40
Assistance fees	35.00

\$95.40

#### John H. Grant, Deputy Sheriff

#### Criminal Investigation

2 days @ \$10.00	\$20.00	
Travel	9.40	
	***************************************	\$29.40

(Completes January Term)

#### APRIL TERM AT PLYMOUTH

#### Herbert W. Ash, Sheriff

#### Court Attendance

23 days @ \$10.00	\$230.00
36 days @ \$15.00	540.00
Travel	14.00
Meals	38.00
Misc. expenses	10.00

\$832.00

#### Criminal Investigation

33 days @ \$10.00	\$330.00
Travel	232.20
Meals	42.20
Paid Minister	10.00
Phone	122.13
Postage and printing	24.45
Paid Medical Referee	10.00
Misc. expenses	5.00

\$775.98

Jerold M. Ashley, De	eputy Sheriff		
Court Attendance			
1 day @ \$10.00	\$10.00		
1 day @ \$15.00	15.00		
	-	\$25.00	
Criminal Investigation			
5 days @ \$10.00	\$50.00		
Travel	20.00		
Fees, Petition & Orders	11.05		
		\$81.05	
Koland G. Alling, De	eputy Sheriff		
Court Attendance			
14½ days @ \$10.00	\$145.00		
17 days @ \$15.00	255.00		
Travel	.40		
Meals	35.65		
		\$436.05	
Criminal Investigation			
15 days @ \$10.00	\$150.00		
Travel	108.80		
Meals	11.70		
Assistance	20.00		
		\$290.50	
John L. Farnham, Deputy Sheriff			
Court Attendance			
4 days @ \$10.00	\$40.00		
3 days @ \$15.00	45.00		
Travel	27.00		
Meals	7.05		
		\$119.05	
Criminal Investigation			
11½ days @ \$10.00	\$115.00		
Travel	115.50		
Meals	4.10		
Fees and other expenses	20.10		
		\$254.70	

Theodore R. Gardner, De	eputy Sheriff	
15 days @ \$10.00	\$150.00	
20 days @ \$15.00	300.00	
Travel	281.00	
Meals	21.90	
Micais		\$752.90
Criminal Investigation		φ, 52.50
2 days @ \$10.00	\$20.00	
Travel and conveying prisoners	121.85	
Other expenses	19.85	
*		\$161.70
Fred L. Johnson, Depu	ty Sheriff	'
Court Attendance		
15 days @ \$10.00	\$150.00	
20 days @ \$15.00	300.00	
Travel	149.60	
Meals	41.25	
		\$640.85
Criminal Investigation		
4 days @ \$10.00	\$40.00	
Travel	78.20	
Meals	3.90	
Other expenses	34.20	
		\$156.30
Rufus E. Vintinner, Dep	uty Sheriff	
Criminal Investigation		
3 days @ \$10.00	\$30.00	
Meals	.95	
		\$30.95
Paul Knight, Deputy	Sheriff	
Criminal Investigation	<b>\$</b> 60.00	
4 days @ \$15.00	\$60.00	
½ day	5.00	
Travel	1.00	ΦCC 0()
		\$66.00

#### Stanley W. Hubbard, Deputy Sheriff

Criminal	Investigation
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11 days @ \$10.00	\$110.00
Travel	70.80
Meals	9.45
Other expenses	13.30

Lucien G. White, Deputy Sheriff

#### Criminal Investigation

Travel	\$72.10
Meals	8.75
Other expenses	5.00

(Completes April Term)

#### SEPTEMBER TERM AT WOODSVILLE

#### Herbert W. Ash, Sheriff

Court	Attendance	

37 days @ \$15.00	\$555.00
Travel	140.00
Meals	16.85

Criminal Investigation

15 days @ \$10.00	\$150.00
10 days @ \$15.00	150.00
Travel	482.90
Meals	37.85
Hotel room	4.75

Wilfred J. Larty, Deputy Sheriff

#### Court Attendance

5 days @ \$15.00	\$75.00
Travel	1.80

**\$76.80** 

\$203.55

\$85.85

\$711.85

\$825.50

#### Criminal Investigation

Crimmar investigation		
2 days @ \$15.00	\$30.00	
		\$30.00
Theodore R. Gardner,	Deputy Sheriff	
Court Attendance		
13 days @ \$15.00	\$195.00	
Travel	44.00	
Meals	8.05	
		\$247.05
Criminal Investigation		
1½ days @ \$10.00	\$15.00	
1 day @ \$15.00	15.00	
Travel	26.30	
Misc. fees	16.00	
		\$72.30
Jerold M. Ashley, D	eputy Sheriff	
Court Attendance		
1 day @ \$15.00	\$15.00	
		\$15.00
Criminal Investigation		
$8\frac{1}{2}$ days @ \$10.00	\$85.00	
Travel	135.00	
Phone	6.83	
Meals and misc. expenses	42.50	
		\$269.33
John L. Farnham, D	eputy Sheriff	
Court Attendance		
14 days @ \$15.00	\$210.00	
Travel	9.60	
Meals	14.00	
		\$233.60

Criminal Investigation		
2 days @ \$10.00	\$20.00	
4½ days @ \$15.00	67.50	
Travel	91.90	
Meals	1.50	
Phone	9.09	
Other expenses	4.50	
_		\$194.49
Lucien G. White, Deputy	Sheriff	
Criminal Investigation		
2½ days @ \$10.00	\$25.00	
1 day @ \$15.00	15.00	
Travel	71.60	
Meals	3.55	
-		\$115.15
Paul W. Knight, Deputy	Sheriff	
Criminal Investigation		
6 days @ \$10.00	\$60.00	
7 days @ \$15.00	105.00	
Travel	129.00	
Meals	5.25	
Assistance	20.00	\$210.0°
_		\$319.25
Other Expenditures		
Herbert W. Ash, clerk hire	\$732.00	
A. B. Gile Co., deputy bond	37.00	
Ayer Insurance Agency, bonds	321.83	
Shores Insurance, bond	37.00	
Bartlett Insurance Agency, bonds	74.00	
Clinton Kelley, Ins. Agent, bond	37.00	
Herbert Brown Agency, bond	10.00	
Belmont Supply Co., supplies	29.91	

Deming Chevrolet Co., repairs,

police radio 26.44 Merrill's Ins. Agency, bond 20.00

Total Expenditures ——— \$12,588.47

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT W. ASH

Sheriff

#### Chaplain's Report

To the Commissioners of Grafton County:

My services as chaplain consist for the most part of leading services of worship every other Wednesday evening except during the month of August. Attendance at these services is somewhat smaller than in previous years, because of the distraction of television sets, but those who attend seem to appreciate our ministry. I served communion during Lent and in the fall and called frequently in the hospital. A bit of variety was offered this past year in a Thanksgiving program provided by the Junior High School Methodist Youth Fellowship and Christmas anthems sung by the Senior Choir of the North Haverhill Methodist Church. Once again Christmas carols were sung in the corridors by a group of young people from the church. My ministry has been made easier by the willing assistance of Superintendent and Mrs. Aldrich and members of the staff.

Respectfully submitted,

BURTON G. ROBBINS,

Chaplain

# Financial Report For Grafton County Cooperative Extension Service For Year Ending December 31, 1957

The Grafton County Cooperative Extension Service is financed through the cooperative efforts of County, State and Federal Governments.

Grafton County Extension Service is made up of four separate lines of educational work, which are: Agriculture, Home Economics, 4-H Club Work, and Forestry.

The Grafton County Farm Bureau Executive Committee has been the governing body for Cooperative Extension Work since the work started over 40 years ago. Effective September 1, 1957 a special 13 member Extension Service Council was organized. This Council will have the job of guiding the Extension Program and Agents. Chairman of this Council is J. L. Pearson of Rumney, N. H.

Extension Agents are available to work with anyone in the County. Agricultural Agents spend most of their time with commercial farmers, but this is not a requirement. Other agents spend a larger percentage of their time with rural non-farm and urban groups and individuals. Present Agents are:

#### Expenses

Salary-Agricultural Agent Travel-Agricultural Agent Salary-Home Demonstration Agent Travel-Home Demonstration Agent Salary-4-H Club Agent Travel-4-H Club Agent Travel-Assist. Agricultural Agent Travel-Assist. Home Dem. Agent Salary-Associate 4-H Club Agent Travel-Associate 4-H Club Agent Travel-Associate 4-H Club Agent Salary-Forester Travel-Forester Salary-Clerks	t	1,850.00 1,115.79 750.00 1,146.24 500.00 1,020.32 810.82 566.59 72.90 715.39 700.00 989.84 4,600.34	
Travel-Assist. Home Dem. Agent		566.59	
Salary-Associate 4-H Club Agent		72.90	
Travel-Associate 4-H Club Agent		715.39	
Salary-Forester		700.00	
Travel-Forester		989.84	
Salary-Clerks		4,600.34	
Transportation of things		18.35	
Communication Services		901.08	
Rent		1,096.00	
Printing		12.20	
Repairs to Equipment		97.57	
Supplies and Materials		805.28	
Equipment		213.59	
Taxes and Miscellaneous		255.09	
-			18,237.39

Balance on hand December 31, 1957

\$ 4,781.65

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES J. PAGE, Treasurer

RICHARD R. RUTHERFORD,

County Agricultural Agent

#### Report of The County Physician

To the Commissioners of Grafton County:

I hereby submit my report for the year 1957.

Despite the high hospital usage of 1956 there has been an increase in 1957. Daily bed average is up 1.5 patients, patient days are up nearly 600 and out-patient visits have increased over 50% above those of 1956. This indicates, again, the strain on facilities, both physical and personal, of carrying a peak load most of the time.

We have been very fortunate in having excellent personnel during 1957 and having available the services of Dr. L. E. McKinlay during my absence.

I feel that the hospital has very well served Grafton County and I am proud of the efficiency and morale of the personnel.

#### E. C. CAMPBELL, M.D.

Medical Director

#### Statistics for 1957 for Grafton County Hospital

Patients Jan. 1, 1957	25
Admissions	95
Discharges	74
Daily Average	24.1
Total patient days	8,807
Number of births	4
Number of operations	12
Number of deaths	21
Number discharged, cured or improved	67
Number discharged, unimproved	7
Number of out patients	3,207
Number of autopsies	3
Total Patients Jan. 1, 1958	25

## Deaths In 1957

Age

Date	Name	Yrs	М	w	D	Cause of Death
Jan. 4	Gustav Anderson	83		1	2	Acute hemorrhagic pan- creatitis, cirrhosis of liver, diabetes mellitus, arterio- sclerotic heart disease.
Jan. 9	Ora Powers	53				Carcinoma of stomach.
Feb. 19	Edna Aldrich	73	7	1	3	Cerebral atrophy, hypertension, epilepsy, arteriosclerosis.
Feb. 28	Frank St. Clair	77	2		4	Multiple emoli- cerebral and peripheral, et. hemiplegia, arterio-sclerosis.
Mar. 6	David Carlisle	75	5	1		Arterio-sclerosis.
Mar. 9	Harry Bean	76	1		2	Pneumonia, arterior-sclerosis, gangrene of legs.
Apr. 7	James Ainsley	83			1	Pneumonia, pulmonary fibrosis, asthma.
Мау 24	Frank Santy	86	6	3	2	Coronary occlusion, arterio-sclerosis with hy-
						pertension, cancer of pro-
						state with chest metas-
						tasis, epilepsy, cancer of face.
May 29	Mabel Randall	65	5	1	2	
						B.C., mental deficiency,
						diabetes, paranoid psy-
June 3	William Duranty	80	4	3	2	chosis, hip fracture. Coronary occlusion, ar-
June 3	William Duranty	80	4	ð	2	terio-sclerosis, malignant
						hypertension.
June 23	Patrick Joyce	99	3	1	5	Arterio-sclerosis.
July 16	Lewis Wright	81				Myelogenous leukemia,
						carcinoma mediastimim, coronary occlusion, ar-
						terio-sclerosis.
Aug. 1	William Ferrill	88	6	2	3	Lt. hemiplegia from cere-
						bral embolus, cardio-vas- cular renal disease, blind,
A 110° 2	Herman Simpson	83	1.0	3	2	hypertrophy of prostate.  Arterio-sclerosis, diabe-
Aug. 0	1101 man ompson	00	10	0	4	tic gangrene of feet.
Aug. 23	Napoleon Lamprey	84	3	1	1	Cerebral accident, arterio-
Sept. 3	Edward Trombley	85	4	1		sclerosis. Arterior-sclerosis, chro-
Dept. 0	Landia Homoley	00	•			nic myocarditis.
Sept. 19	Charles Harrington	71	11	3	6	Cerebral accident, ar-
						terio-sclerosis.

Date	Name	Yrs	M	w	D	Cause of Death
Oct. 5	Eluzar Misho	86		1		Arterio-sclerosis, chronic myocaditis.
Oct. 28	John Dwyer	86		1		Cerebral accident, arteriosclerosis.
Oct. 30	Wilbur Hawes	82	8	2	2	Arterio-sclerosis, parkin- son's, peptic ulcer.
Dec. 8	Fred Nelson	86	3	1	4	Coronary occlusion, arterio-sclerosis, terminal pneumonia.

# Summary of Farm Accounts For Grafton County Farm For 1957

Capital Investment	1956	1957
Value of land & buildings	\$49,000.00	\$49,000.00
Livestock inventory	53,840.00	43,800.00
Machinery & equipment	27,299.50	23,438.50
Feed & supplies inventory	16,765.26	14,694.84
Total	\$146,904.76	130,933.34
		146,904.76
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Decrease for year		\$15,971.42

#### Summary of Receipts

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	Cash	Institution	Total
Milk & milk products	\$34,016.10	\$5,040.00	\$39,056.10
Produce	179.25	1,047.53	1,226.78
Eggs	20.50	1,041.86	1,062.36
Dressed Poultry		134.40	134.40
Dressed Beef		2,814.02	2,814.02
Dressed Pork		3,037.60	3,037.60
Livestock	11,650.50		11,650.50
Other Income	1,813.84		1,813.84
	\$47,680.19	\$13,115.41	\$60,795.60
Inventory decrease			15,971.42
Grand Total of Income			\$44,824.18

#### Summary of Expenses

Supervision	\$ 300.00
Labor—regular and inmate	10,255.67
Labor—House of Correction	1,363.00
Truck and Tractor expense	2,510.71
Taxes	3,460.75
Insurance	591.19
Light and Power	1,200.00
Feed	23,576.68
Supplies	1,565.33
Repairs	5,348.87
Equipment	1,095.75
Fertilizer	1,643.25
Veterinary	471.25
Milk testing	238.87
Registering cattle	93.20
Seeds	292.16
Bedding	1,215.04
Bulldozer and land clearing	515.00
Livestock and poultry	717.50
Miscellaneous	599.11
Total expenses	\$57,053.33
Total Receipts minus inventory decrease	44,824.18
Operating loss	\$12,229.15

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Grafton County Farm Barns





